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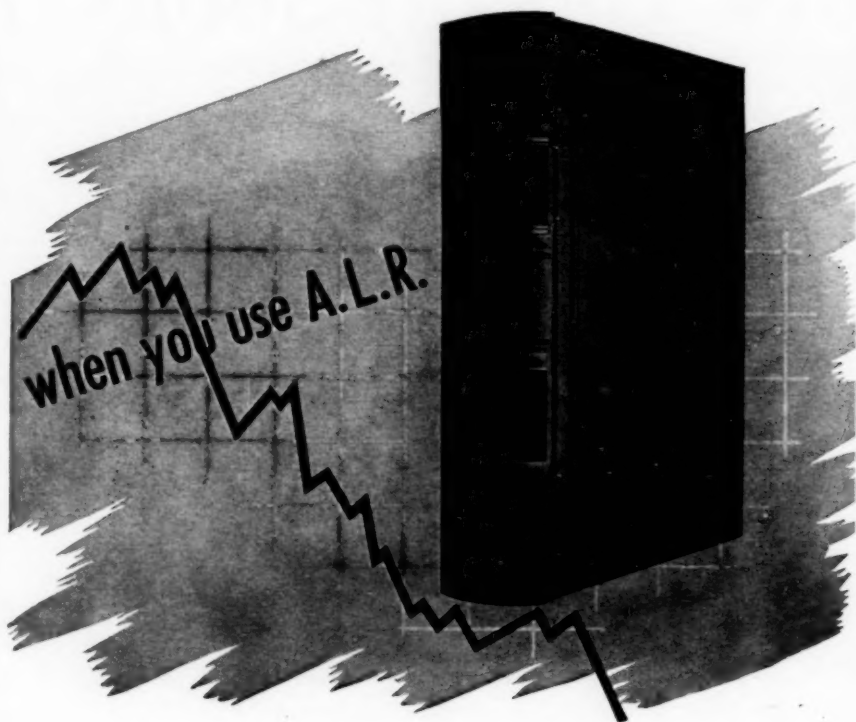
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## THE EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND OF THE UNIVERSITY'S LAW LIBRARIAN

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Librarianship has made important strides in the past few years. A most important example has been in the standards, function and status of the librarian. We no longer consider him as essentially a custodian; rather do we consider him as a teacher having an important role in the educational process. This change in attitude has reflected a higher quality of librarianship, resulting in still further demands for improvement. Much has been written about the educational qualifications of all types of librarians, general and special.<sup>1</sup> Here we shall be concerned with the law librarians's educational development.

The purpose of this paper is to suggest a possible program of action by law librarians in the light of the modern objectives of the law schools and, to a lesser extent, the interests of the profession and the public. The course of action is concerned with the educational and cultural backgrounds of law school librarians only. The latter point is emphasized, to indicate clearly the limitation of this paper and to suggest that the problem of the educational qualifications of a law school

librarian is of a somewhat different nature than that of other law librarians, being dependent upon numerous different circumstances not affecting such others. Such differences as exist are for the most part due to the emphasis upon research and teaching, in the school library, as contrasted with the more practical aspects of the Bar, court, and practitioners' library. Important here is the difference in attitude toward the law school librarian, resulting from the academic atmosphere, the system of academic rank, and so forth from the other libraries, where such tradition is not important.

It is with considerable trepidation that the writer ventures to discuss the highly controversial topic of education for law school librarianship, as he is fully aware of the heat engendered by similar discussion in the past. However, the recent action by law school selection committees in filling several important library positions, leading to appointments in some instances from without the library profession, seems to demand a frank examination of the criteria employed, and a consideration of the part formal education should play in preparing candidates for librarianship to meet the increasingly

<sup>1</sup>See "Essentials in the training of university librarians: A symposium." *College and research libraries*, 1:13 (1939).

rigorous requirements of the law schools. It is idle to deny that in law librarianship, as in other learned fields, the day of the specialist is at hand, for the evidence is plain. If the law library profession does not produce adequately equipped men and women, they will be found more and more from among teachers of law or research specialists in the field.

There exists considerable literature on what might be termed minimum qualifications. We are interested in those qualifications to a lesser extent, being primarily concerned as to the manner in which those who expect to be law librarians can improve their abilities as librarians and increase the effectiveness of their libraries by advanced formal and informal studies and investigations.

What is offered here goes beyond the now well recognized minimum standards necessary for the competent law school librarian. While some progress has been made in applying these standards, much remains to be done, and for this reason some think that suggesting additional preparation as necessary qualification for law school librarians is inviting the wrath of the Gods. The number of recent appointments of non-librarian instructors of law as joint instructors of law and law librarians, and the insistence by the larger law schools upon scholarly persons as law librarians, leads to the conclusion that the proverbial handwriting is beginning to appear on the wall as to the qualifications of law school librarians, and due recognition should be had.

This problem is not pertinent to the present incumbents of important law school library positions, who, because

of outstanding natural ability, leadership and experience, are certainly entitled to their offices. They have made and are continuing to make important contributions to the profession, which owes them a great deal. However, their very success has so raised the level of library service now expected by law schools that their successors must be prepared to start in where they leave off, without a long period of development and learning by trial and error. Accordingly, those now in lesser positions and those contemplating entering the profession, must gain in advance much of this proficiency, and in other and quicker ways. They must rise to meet and exceed the standards set by their predecessors if they expect to advance professionally.

## I

It is necessary, therefore, to understand first the aims and objectives of the law school in order to point out the role the law librarian is expected to play, and to reach any conclusion, if that is possible, as to the educational qualifications of a competent and effective law librarian. The functions of a law school have been very well summed up by Professor Sidney P. Simpson, of the Harvard Law School:

The function of the university law school is not a simple one. It involves the simultaneous accomplishment of three different purposes: first, the provision of an adequate technical background for men who are to practice law; second, the advancement of knowledge of law as a social institution and how law may most effectively serve social ends; and third, the preservation and renewal in action of the



tradition of the law as a public profession.<sup>2</sup>

Many more similar statements can be found to corroborate the above statement and perhaps enlarge upon some specific point. In any case, they all aim at the same target, and the purposes suggested by each are inter-related. Now, may we ask, how have law schools attempted to fulfill their functions?

First of all, law schools have individualized their curricula and considered the varying interests of their students.<sup>3</sup> Second, they have tried to integrate as much as possible all fields of knowledge with law—the work of the law school with that of the university.<sup>4</sup> Third, they have used the seminar method of instruction as the best means of achieving the first two points mentioned.<sup>5</sup> And finally, realizing that education does not cease at graduation, law schools have placed greater emphasis on graduate work for those desiring to teach or to do research,<sup>6</sup> and have undertaken to keep the practising lawyer informed of latest developments in the profession, by means of regularly held institutes.<sup>7</sup> Through these means it is hoped that the aims of the law school and the profession will be successfully achieved.

## II

The adoption of these methods of instruction to attain the objectives of

the law school has placed a greater responsibility upon the holdings of the law library. Achieving an integration of the non-legal and the legal in order that law may effectively play its part in society requires the availability of non-legal material, especially in the social sciences, in law libraries, to an extent not known heretofore. Many important contributions to legal science are made by economists, political scientists, and historians, in non-legal books and periodicals which the law school instructor does not have time to examine regularly, and which are not found in the law library. The law librarian must supply them promptly. It will be necessary for the law library to avail itself as much as possible of the resources of the university library in order effectively to integrate the work of the law school with that of the rest of the university.

The implications of these new objectives and methods are of even greater significance to the law librarian if he is to play his part adequately, requiring the highest degree of intelligence and the best possible educational and cultural background on his part. In this paper those duties of the law librarian which decisively point out the importance of the highest possible training and cultural development will be examined.

From the administrative aspect of law librarianship there is no question that the best training possible is necessary if the librarian is to do his part in the light of the new legal educational trends. That this is so has been brilliantly pointed out by an excellent article in the *Law Library Journal*.<sup>8</sup>

<sup>2</sup>Sidney P. Simpson, "Function of the university's law school," *Harvard law review*, 49:1068 (1936).

<sup>3</sup>M. P. Sharp, "Developments in the law school curriculum and in teaching methods," *American law school review*, 8:1038 (1938).

<sup>4</sup>Simpson, *op. cit.*, 1062.

<sup>5</sup>Simpson, *op. cit.*, 1082.

<sup>6</sup>See latest catalogs of various graduate law schools at Yale, Chicago, Columbia, Michigan and Harvard.

<sup>7</sup>W. E. Stanley, "Report of Chairman of the Committee on advanced legal education," *American law school review*, 9:771 (1940).

<sup>8</sup>Matthew A. MacKavitt and Helen Boyd, "We look at the law library," *Law library journal*, 33:81 (1940).

But one part of administration requires special mention in connection with law school libraries, to emphasize the need of training, which this writer considers essential.

Administratively, the selection of materials has become increasingly important in the light of the necessity for acquiring not only the best of legal publications, but also a great deal of allied non-legal material. Selection has always been regarded as perhaps the most important duty of a librarian, and this has become increasingly so with the developments in education. This is also very true of the law librarian, and for this duty he will need all the knowledge he can command, in addition to a complete background of librarianship. As a trained bibliographer, not only in law but in allied fields, the librarian can render an important service to the faculty, which has enough to do under the new methods of legal education.<sup>9</sup>

The law librarian cannot be content to be the mere custodian of a collection of books. In modern legal education he must assume the role of a teacher of a most important subject—the law library. In this connection mention must be made of the increasing importance of a formal course in legal bibliography,<sup>10</sup> with added emphasis on general library practices and techniques. With the adoption of the seminar method of instruction, calling for a greater use of the law library and general library, the law librarian

must necessarily have an adequate background, both in legal and library knowledge, in order properly to instruct the students in legal bibliography. In addition to laying the foundation in a formal course, it will be necessary to follow this up with individual aid and instruction throughout the student's career in the law school. The law librarian will need the highest amount of training if he is properly to interpret the library and fully develop his role as an educator instead of a custodian.

In order that the law librarian effectively carry out these responsibilities, he must attain a more important status than he now has generally. His position must be akin to that of the faculty.<sup>11</sup> If he does not have such a standing he cannot effectively carry out his function as an educator instead of a custodian, and maintain the proper relationships with the groups he serves. However, in order to achieve a favorable status, he must show that he is entitled to it. He must command the respect of those with whom he associates constantly, through his ability, intelligence, and knowledge, legally, culturally, and scholarly, and through his ability as a librarian to make the law library an effective educational instrument.

There must be a new order in relationship and understanding between the law librarian and the various groups he serves and with whom he is in daily contact. The librarian's relationship to the faculty must be of the highest order and greatest effectiveness. The instructor, under new methods of legal education, carries a

<sup>9</sup>H. Branscomb, *Teaching with books*. 1940. P. 194.  
<sup>10</sup>W. R. Roalfe, "The essentials of an effective law school library service." *Law library journal*, 31:335 (1938).

<sup>11</sup>W. R. Roalfe, "Status and qualifications of law school librarians." *American law school review*, 3:398 (1936).

<sup>12</sup>W. R. Roalfe, "The relation of library to legal education." *Law library journal*, 31:141 (1938).

<sup>13</sup>W. R. Roalfe, "Status and qualification of law librarians." *Op. cit.*, p. 402.

greater responsibility in the training of future lawyers who are to make law an effective social weapon. The law librarian, with training on a level with that of an instructor, will have the requisite knowledge for an understanding of the instructor's problems, and be in a position to render him important assistance in many ways, such as the suggestion and locating of material and the preparation of bibliographies. By such means can the law school librarian show that he is entitled to a higher status, comparable to that of the teaching faculty.

The relationship between the law school librarian and the students is a very important one, and must be of the very best if the law librarian is to be an effective aid in the library and its use. This again means that he must have the proper training, in order to command their respect. To deal adequately with the students' problems will require considerable familiarity with legal knowledge and legal resources, as well as a thorough general background, on the part of the librarian.

Relationships with the Bar take on increasing importance, due to the spread of legal institutes sponsored by many law schools, which represent developments of interest to the practitioner. Because of this, the law school librarian will be called upon to give service requiring a strong legal training, as well as the ability to interpret his library to meet the problems which will be presented to him by members of the Bar. By giving valuable service to this group, the law librarian can do a great deal to enhance the standing of the library profession in the eyes of the public.

And, finally, the relationship with the non-professional group. Giving the utmost assistance to this group desiring to make use of legal material will require that the law librarian render valuable service to the legal profession by improving the understanding of non-professionals as to the role of the law. Further, the law librarian can do considerable to correct many erroneous beliefs regarding lawyers.

### III

It can be seen in view of what has thus far been said that the qualifications of a law school librarian must be high if he is adequately to fulfill his role in legal education. It would seem fair to expect that the new law school librarian coming into the field should have as a minimum, degrees from college, library school and law school, and in addition some practical experience either in library or in legal work. His role is so important and difficult as to call for the best of backgrounds for the purpose. As already indicated, there has been considerable discussion, at American Association of Law Libraries conferences and in the *Law Library Journal*, of minimum standards for law librarians, and even the suggested rather low qualifications have encountered strong, and at times bitter opposition, as being too high.

Usually, though the proposed standards were intended to apply only to law school librarians, objections have been most strongly voiced by librarians not connected with law schools. This is perhaps natural, since Bar, court, and practitioners' libraries strongly emphasize the law in action rather than what Mr. Hicks calls the forma-

tive influences of the law—scholarly research and the teaching of law. In such libraries the search is for the law as it actually exists; the school library is vitally concerned as well with legal history, trends, economic and social influences, and other factors, vital to the professor and student and requiring close liaison with research materials wherever available.

However, those familiar with the larger Bar and court libraries know that these, too, are aware that, with increased emphasis by judges and attorneys on extended scholarly research work in brief making, their functions and needs more and more closely approximate those of the law school library, requiring as a corollary, equivalent standards of service and personnel. Consequently, opposition to reasonable minimum standards on the part of the administrators of such libraries may be expected to diminish as they realize that these standards make for more uniformly satisfactory service to a more demanding clientele; that they are set to maintain and improve conditions, and to serve as guide posts as well, to those who desire to become law librarians, so that they may know what is expected of them.

The theme of this paper is not merely to justify those standards but to advance a step further and point out, for the consideration of those who are law librarians, the need for advanced study. If law school librarianship is to achieve a high standing and to keep pace with librarianship in general as well as with legal education, it cannot be content with meeting minimum standards and nothing more. Librarianship is an educational

process, and, like educators, librarians may never say that they have had enough training or learning. Those who enter the field should expect to continue their own education for the rest of their lives. This is no less true of law librarians than of other kinds.

Before going ahead to point out the value of advanced study for law librarians, a brief review of the literature pertaining to the educational qualifications of law librarians is in order. In 1926 Mr. Frederick C. Hicks insisted that the law library profession required a broad knowledge, pointing out that in addition to general library training the law librarian should have "special courses relating to law library problems."<sup>12</sup> Mr. Hicks has continued to insist upon a broad training in law, as well as in library science, based on a strong cultural education.<sup>13</sup>

At the twenty-fourth annual meeting of the American Association of Law Libraries, Mr. A. S. McDaniel presented a paper in which he stressed the fact that the best cultural preparation for law librarianship was a knowledge of languages, history, and government or political science. A familiarity with the history of civilization and political institutions was needed in order to understand law.<sup>14</sup> In the discussion which followed the presentation of this paper, Mr. Frederick Schenk, of the University of Chicago Law School, stated that the law librarian must be on a par with

<sup>12</sup>F. C. Hicks, "The widening scope of law librarianship," *Law library journal*, 19:61 (1926).

<sup>13</sup>F. C. Hicks, "Educational requirements for law librarians," *Law library journal*, 23:62 (1930).

<sup>14</sup>A. S. McDaniel, "The educational and cultural background of a law librarian," *Law library journal*, 23:68 (1930).

the law school professor, possessing in addition to a thorough fundamental education, a Ph.D., with the specialty of library science in law school libraries.<sup>15</sup>

In regard to the necessity for a broad cultural background, there has been almost solid agreement; although it was stated at a meeting of the American Association of Law Libraries that formal education was not indispensable if the knowledge could be acquired by other means. At the same time it was pointed out that the more education a law librarian had the better it would be.<sup>16</sup>

A stand very similar to that of Mr. Hicks was taken by Dr. A. S. Beardsley, who insisted that the problem of education is the major issue before the law library profession. He pointed out that the best training for general librarianship should apply no less to the basic education needed by the librarian in the special library.<sup>17</sup> Mr. Beardsley insisted that the law librarian should have a broad cultural background and a solid legal background in addition to the necessary library training.<sup>18</sup>

In addition to the views of Mr. Hicks and Mr. Beardsley, attention must be given to the view of W. R. Roalfe, who has been one of the recent and most persistent advocates of a well rounded educational background for law librarians. Mr. Roalfe has from time to time insisted that because of the recent developments in legal education, a law librarian should

have a broad cultural background with training in law and in library science. He has gone so far as to say that the law librarian should be a graduate of a law school and also of a library school. He believes that formal training is an advantage, although not indispensable.<sup>19</sup>

The American Association of Law Libraries has taken an active part in this matter. Through committees appointed to investigate and study the problems it has done useful work, and the recommendations of the committees have paralleled very closely the views of the leaders mentioned above. The Association has also sought the cooperation of the American Library Association in order to make further studies and to set up standards.<sup>20</sup>

Attention should be called to a survey made by the Committee on Education for Law Librarianship, of the American Association of Law Libraries. According to this survey, which included all classes of law librarians, only 5% of the law librarians who responded to the questionnaire sent out by the committee were graduates of both law school and library school, in 1936. 20% had no college training whatever, and only 16% were graduates of a library school.<sup>21</sup> Due to the adoption by the Association of American Law Schools of its minimum

<sup>15</sup>W. R. Roalfe, "Status and qualifications of law school librarians." *Op. cit.*

W. R. Roalfe, "The relation of the library to legal education." *Op. cit.*

W. R. Roalfe, "The essentials of an effective law school library service." *Op. cit.*

<sup>20</sup>"Survey and report of the Committee on education for law librarianship." *Law library journal*, 29:199 (1936).

"Proceedings of the joint meeting of the American Association of Law Libraries and board of education for librarianship of the A.L.A." *Law library journal*, 30:514 (1937).

"Report of the Committee on cooperation with the Association of American Law Schools." *Law library journal*, 32:365 (1939).

<sup>21</sup>"Survey and report of the Committee on education for law librarianship." *Op. cit.*

<sup>16</sup>"Proceedings of the twenty-fourth annual meeting." *Law library journal*, 23:60 (1930).

<sup>17</sup>"Proceedings of the twenty-seventh annual meeting." *Law library journal*, 25:170 (1932).

<sup>18</sup>A. S. Beardsley, "Education for law librarianship." *A.L.A. bulletin*, 30:168 (1937).

<sup>19</sup>*Ibid.*, 171.



standards for libraries in 1937,<sup>21</sup> there has probably been some improvement since 1936, but there must still be tremendous room for improvement. In view of these figures it seems foolish to speak of graduate work, when so many do not even have enough basic training. Nevertheless, only if those who can go ahead, do, will it be possible to raise the standards of the law library profession. If enough law librarians with foresight and courage take the initiative in this matter, others will have to follow suit if they hope to advance professionally.

There can be no question that a broad cultural background is needed by a law librarian if he is to understand the significance of and properly interpret the law library and its resources for its patrons.<sup>22</sup> Law cuts across many fields of knowledge; and so the law librarian must understand relationships, if he is to give adequate service. In addition, a knowledge of languages is very desirable. This is the era of "One World" and increasing international exchange in the arts as well as in commerce. Law libraries, particularly in large metropolitan and coastal cities, will be called upon to supply legal information of a varied nature pertaining to many foreign countries. Without doubt every one will agree that he who intends to enter the library profession should have a fine liberal arts and science background.

From this point on the controversy becomes more intense. It is inconceiv-

able to this writer how anyone in charge of a law school library can give the best possible service without being a graduate of a law school, since it is hard to see how a law librarian without this legal knowledge can fully appreciate and understand the problems of the student, of the faculty and of the profession as they affect the service to be given by the library. The law librarian with a legal training gains a strong foothold through the confidence which will be placed in him by the groups just mentioned, because they will realize that the law librarian has gone through many of the same experiences and will therefore understand their problems. Unless the law librarian has had such legal training, he will find it difficult to speak their language; to understand fully how their minds work on many things peculiar to lawyers; and hence to succeed in properly interpreting the law library.

As to the importance of library training, it would seem that there should be less controversy than there actually is. Much of the discussion in regard to this has centered upon the value of a general library training,<sup>23</sup> it being contended by some that special courses dealing with law libraries alone are an absolute necessity. Based on personal experience, there is no doubt that fundamental training in library schools is invaluable to a proper understanding of general library science. Most law library problems are very similar to the general library problems considered in a regular library course. Furthermore, the law librarian is primarily a member of the

<sup>21</sup>*Handbook of the Association of American Law Schools and Proceedings of the Thirty-Fifth Annual Meeting*, 1937. Pp. 38, 52.

<sup>22</sup>*Handbook of the Association of American Law Schools and Proceedings of the Thirty-Fourth Annual Meeting*, 1936. Pp. 136, 137.

<sup>23</sup>W. M. Randall and F. L. Goodrich, *Principles of college library administration*, 1941. P. 77.

<sup>24</sup>See notes 12, 13, 17.



library profession. He must be familiar with and able to understand the important problems and developments of librarianship at all times. He can best do this by taking his preliminary training in a library school. There, he will become acquainted with the important library literature. This point must be emphasized, since library professional literature contains a world of information that, with the aid of library training and imagination, will solve many problems which are peculiar to law libraries. Not enough can be said in defence of a general library training as a necessary qualification for a law librarian.

Charles E. Rush, in speaking of the future librarian, paints an exciting picture of his future importance:

The future holds exciting possibilities for librarians. Librarianship is a comparatively new educational profession. Few other social agencies can anticipate as widespread opportunity for general expansion and a great development of educational service.<sup>24</sup>

He goes on to speak of the need for good librarians,

capable of adapting and integrating library functions with those of other educational activities, all of which face common problems and seek identical goals. The opportunity lies in devising synchronization.<sup>25</sup>

And finally he points out that,

In higher education of a librarian there is a need for genuine scientific study, in which emphasis is placed on the content and use of scholarship rather than on the techniques of research.<sup>26</sup>

These quotations are indicative to the law librarian of what lies ahead. For the law librarian is faced with the same problems in his own field. He must prepare himself to meet the demands expected of him.

Admitted that a knowledge of library fundamentals and techniques may be acquired by other means than attendance at a library school, just as a knowledge of law may be gained in the same manner, it is the "hard way," and has no more validity, as a customary procedure in these days of good library schools, than "reading law" has as a substitute for the law school. It takes too long and misses too much.

The discussion thus far has been mainly of suggested minimum qualifications for law school librarians—college, law, and library school degrees, plus some law library or practitioners' experience. It is the thesis of the writer, however, that if law librarianship is to achieve its rightful place as an integral part of legal education, these eventually must be recognized as minimum for *small and medium-sized* law school libraries only, and that the deans and faculties controlling the larger law school libraries are going to require more from their librarians than that. Like it or not, law librarians must be realistic and recognize that true specialization and expertness, such as is ordinarily gained from graduate research, is being demanded; and that if the law library profession does not respond, appointments will be made of specialists from without the profession, for the better positions. It does the profession no good merely to demand recognition on a par with the teaching

<sup>24</sup>Charles E. Rush, "The librarian of the future," Danton, E. M., *The library of tomorrow*. 1939. P. 97.

<sup>25</sup>*Ibid.*, p. 98.

<sup>26</sup>*Ibid.*, p. 102.

faculty: it must command it by its training and achievements.

Before making any statements regarding the kind of advanced training which will be of the most benefit to the law librarian who desires to be an asset to his profession, the aims of the graduate library school should be considered briefly.<sup>27</sup>

The aims of the Graduate Library School of the University of Chicago have been described as follows by Dean Wilson:

- (1) The development of a theory or philosophy of library science.
- (2) A search for guiding principles which may be applied to the various subdivisions of library science.
- (3) To train teachers. (4) Development within its students of a critical and experimental attitude toward librarianship. Students shall look critically at all aspects of librarianship, and shall become sufficiently familiar with the procedure of investigation and experimentation to deal with library problems for which satisfactory solutions have not hitherto been found. (5) Publication of investigations, etc. (6) To increase the educational effectiveness of the library in its various forms. (7) Of contributing to a better understanding of the means of communicating ideas through print, radio, and the moving picture.<sup>28</sup>

The law librarian has as vital a concern in these objectives as does the general librarian. The law librarian

has, in many cases, failed to recognize his duty to his profession, which is primarily that of a librarian. There is no doubt that a training with the foregoing objectives in view would be of immense benefit to the law librarian in investigating problems that confront the law library profession. There is a definite need of law librarians with this type of training.

The aims of the various graduate law schools, as stated in their catalogs, may be summed up thus: To prepare both those who are now teaching to meet fully their obligations, and those who expect to teach; to supplement the education of graduates so as to qualify them better as practitioners; to liberalize and to broaden their legal education and their general education through the study of legal history and philosophy and of related social sciences; to prepare for judicial, legislative and administrative positions; to encourage legal research and investigation which is "directed toward a better understanding and improvement of the law, both in its substance and its applications."<sup>29</sup>

Here we see, also, many objectives which would benefit the law librarian as an educator and interpreter of the law library to students and faculty. By graduate legal training he would be able to acquire better status and relationships that would afford valuable service. All law librarians could profit by such training.

Just as the general university librarian is faced with the choice between continued graduate work in library science or in an academic field, so the difficult question at once arises for the

<sup>27</sup>It should be pointed out here that so-called "graduate library schools" are of three classes: 1. Those which require a bachelor's degree for admission, and grant a bachelor's degree in science or library science for one additional academic year's work; 2. Those which, for two year's graduate work, plus a thesis, grant a master's degree in library science; and 3. Those which grant a Ph.D. for a library science major after three years' academic graduate work and a thesis. At present the University of Chicago Graduate Library School is the only one in class 3. For the purposes of this paper, "graduate library work" means that leading to a higher degree in either class 2 or class 3 schools.

<sup>28</sup>Louis R. Wilson, "The objectives of graduate library school in extending the frontiers of librarianship," *New frontiers in librarianship*, 1940.

<sup>29</sup>"Law School—Graduate degree," *Harvard university catalog*, 1939-40.

ambitious law librarian: "What kind of graduate work is most beneficial to me, that in library science, or in law?"

To the writer there appears to be no certain solution to this dilemma,<sup>30</sup> and expediency certainly is likely to play an important part in the decisions in individual cases. Undoubtedly, law librarianship is confronted with numerous problems peculiar to library science, the study and development of which would materially advance the profession; and the knowledge and techniques gained in graduate library work leading to the M.A. or Ph.D. would aid immensely in their scientific study and investigation.

On the other hand, it may be argued that since the law librarian serves a special clientele, one requiring a highly specialized type of information; and that, since the administrative problems in law libraries vary little from those in other learned libraries, their solution may best be left to the research of general university librarians, while the law librarian concentrates his advanced study on the subject matter of his own field, the law. It can be seen that the decision is not an easy one, and that a perfect result is unlikely of achievement.

Several other factors are worthy of consideration, the most important one being that of relative times and costs required in graduate study. Assuming that the law librarian has law and library school degrees, to complete his residence for a master's degree will require one additional year, plus thesis; while his doctorate will require at least three additional years. The LL.M. and S.J.D. take about the same

lengths of time as the library degrees, except that perhaps the thesis requirements for the LL.M. may be somewhat more difficult than for the M.S. in L.S.

It might be taken for granted that the law librarian who was first of all a librarian and later became a lawyer, would continue to think chiefly along library lines, and thus elect graduate library work; while the lawyer who later took a degree in library science would continue in the law, but this would be a hazardous assumption, dependent for its validity upon the special situation in each case.

If pure expediency were to rule, the choice in most cases would probably be the law. Law school deans and faculties are more and more becoming persuaded of the value, if not the necessity, of formal library training, and are requiring it of their candidates for law librarianships, but the attitude is still a Johnny-Come-Lately, and the concept rather vague in their minds. On the other hand, legal training is their specialty, about which they know a great deal, and of the need for which they are entirely convinced. The tendency of late years has increasingly been to recognize the value of, if not to require, the LL.M. for new appointees to law school teaching positions. This is a degree which they understand and value at its full worth, and the law librarian who possessed such a degree from a first-rate law school would reap the benefit of that attitude. Note should be made in this connection of the perhaps unfortunate but nevertheless not uncommon desire that the law librarian be equipped to teach one or more substantive law courses.

<sup>30</sup>See "Librarians' degrees: A symposium." *College and research libraries*, 6:264 (1945).

There remains a third possibility: that of advanced training both in law and in library science. It is suggested that a program be carried on through one year's advanced study in library science, leading to the Master's degree, in which there should be a heavy concentration on law library problems; followed or preceded by one year's advanced study in law, leading to the LL.M. In this way the student would reap the important benefits to be gained from each type of graduate study. Such a program may be considered as a compromise with regard to time and money involved, and to interests and benefits which would result therefrom.

While the third choice above suggested the combination of graduate training in library science and law as possibly the best solution, there should be no hesitancy to substitute some other subject in place of law where someone's interest is particularly and enthusiastically in that direction. For instance, many fields of graduate study in political science could be most useful to a law school librarian. International law is very important particularly in view of the increased emphasis on this subject in the curriculum of so many major law schools. Public administration would give a valuable background for studies of library administration problems. There are many other subjects studied in the political sciences relevant to law which would be worthwhile to acquire by any law school librarian.

It was intimated above that informal individual studies and investigations of a high quality could also achieve the ends we are seeking. A law librarian with a law degree could through

personal initiative become, so to speak, an "expert" in some particular subject. Publication of his findings certainly would enhance his standing and command the respect of his colleagues on the faculty. Many full professors of law hold no graduate degrees but have achieved great eminence in exactly this manner. One particular suggestion for informal study would be in the field of foreign languages. Proficiency in this matter could be acquired with a minimum of actual class work. Such an "expert" should be able to publish many interesting items regarding foreign legal systems as a result of his ability to read and understand three or four foreign languages. In any instance of informal research by law school librarians, whatever the subject, it is hoped that some time would be given to library problems, adding contrast to the academic type of thinking and writing.

In view of many things that have been said, it may seem very much out of place to suggest the need for any advanced training. But if law librarians are to be regarded as educators, as they must be under the new educational trends, then they must accept the same responsibility and obligations as does the law faculty. An instructor is expected to continue his education all the time. The law librarian, if he is to enhance the standing of his profession and himself, must do this also. The objection may be offered to this, that instructors receive encouragement to do so by means of sabbatical leaves, with remuneration and more opportunities for fellowships. This is a valid objection; but we can gain such considerations, only if we are willing to take the initiative by ad-

vance in training and scholarship. We shall finally reap the desired benefits by attaining the respect of our colleagues of the faculty and our rightful status. If we can show by means of such steps that we are able and willing to be more than custodians, we will have made our gains at small sacrifice. In addition, by example this will gradually, but eventually, raise the entire standing of the law library profession.

There can be no end of views that will be found to vary in many respects.

The problem of educational qualifications of law librarians is acknowledged to be an important one, both to the library profession and to legal education. It must be remembered that if we of the law library profession are to improve our positions, we must be willing to sacrifice somewhat in order to gain our ends. Any standards are set with the hope that they may be surpassed. They may be reset, and again surpassed. This is evidence of a proper interest and of attitudes of the "new educational" profession.

## UNION LIST OF LEGISLATIVE HISTORIES

### FOREWORD

Herewith the second and concluding section of the "Union List of Legislative Histories" prepared by a committee of the Law Librarians' Society of the District of Columbia, the first part of the list having appeared in the November, 1946, issue of the *Law Library Journal*. The portion here published covers legislative histories of laws enacted by the 77th, 78th and 79th Congresses, as found in the twenty-three contributing libraries. At an early date the Committee hopes to list the legislative history holdings of additional libraries through the 79th Congress, making possible a second edition of the "Union List" on a more comprehensive scale.

The code numbers appearing in Column 5 designate the libraries having a particular legislative history compilation. The key to the code numbers appears at the beginning of the first part of the "Union List" in the November *Journal*.

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Public Law No.	Bill No.	Popular Name or Descriptive Title	Citation	Libraries holding (Code Nos.)	Notes
<i>77th Congress</i>					
5	H.J. Res. 77	Emergency Cargo Ship Construction Appropriation	55 Stat. 5	9, 18	
7	H.R. 2959	Public Debt Act of 1941	55 Stat. 7	2, 9, 18	
8	S. 187	Coast Guard Auxiliary and Reserve Act of 1941	55 Stat. 9	18	
9	H.R. 3204	Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act of 1941	55 Stat. 14	9, 18	
10	H.R. 3531	Excess Profits Tax, 1941 Amendment	55 Stat. 17	5, 16 18, 23	16 has no hearings
11	H.R. 1776	Lend-Lease Act	55 Stat. 31	2, 5, 9 18, 21	
13	H.R. 3617	Fourth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1941	55 Stat. 34	9, 18	
20	H.R. 533	Communications Act of 1934, Amendment of Sec. 4 (f)	55 Stat. 46	6	
21	H.R. 3155	Navy Public Works Projects	55 Stat. 47	9	
22	H.R. 3325	Navy Public Works Projects	55 Stat. 49	9	



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23	H.R. 4050	Defense Aid Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1941	55 Stat. 53	9, 18	
24	H.R. 3575	National Housing Act Amendment	55 Stat. 55	9, 18	
25	H.R. 3836	First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1941	55 Stat. 62	9, 14, 18	
28	H.R. 2788	Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 92	9, 18	
29	H.R. 4124	Fifth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1941	55 Stat. 123	2, 9, 18	
31	S. 390	Foreign Accounts in Federal Reserve and Insured Banks	55 Stat. 131	18	
42	H.R. 3486	Defense Housing Amendments	55 Stat. 147	9, 18	
43	S. 1059	National Defense Supply Contracts	55 Stat. 147	2, 9	
46	H.R. 3252	Foreign Ship construction costs	55 Stat. 148	2, 19	
48	H.R. 3981	Naval Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 151	9, 18	
58	H.R. 3835	Foreign Governmental Employees' Exemption	55 Stat. 184	21	
71	H.R. 4183	War Department Civil Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 190	9	
73	H.R. 4669	Additional urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1941	55 Stat. 197	2, 9, 14, 18	
75	S.J. Res. 76	Extension of National Defense to all U. S. territories	55 Stat. 206	18	
76	S. 994	Strategic and critical minerals, credit and use of proceeds of sales	55 Stat. 206	18	
88	H.R. 3205	Treasury and Post Office Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 212	9, 18	
89	H.R. 4534	National Defense, To extend power to establish priorities and allocate materials	55 Stat. 236	2, 9, 18	
101	H.R. 4466	Ship requisition	55 Stat. 242	2, 5, 18	5 has reports and hearings only
108	S. 1438	To extend the operations of R. F. C.	55 Stat. 248	18	
135	H.R. 4276	State, Commerce, Justice and Judiciary, Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 265	9, 18	
136	H.R. 4590	Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 303	9	
137	H.R. 4545	National Defense Public Works	55 Stat. 361	9, 14, 18	
138	H.R. 4693	National Housing Act Amendment	55 Stat. 364	2, 9, 14	
139	H.R. 4965	Military Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 366	2, 9, 18	
142	H.R. 4646	Stabilization Fund Extension	55 Stat. 395	18	
143	H.J. Res. 193	Emergency Relief Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 396	9, 18	

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144	H.R. 3735	Agricultural Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 408	3, 5, 9, 18	
145	H.R. 4756	Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 446	9, 18	
146	H.R. 4926	Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 466	9	
147	H.R. 4972	Commodity Credit Corporation. Extension to June 30, 1943	55 Stat. 498	5	Hearings and reports only
148	H.R. 5049	District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 499	9	
150	H.R. 5166	Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1941	55 Stat. 541	2, 9, 18	
155	H.R. 2074	Communications Act of 1934 Amendment of Sec. 353 (b)	55 Stat. 579	6	
173	H.R. 4700	Ship Warrant Act	55 Stat. 591	2	
187	H.R. 4158	Withdrawing liquor from bonded warehouses for supplying vessels and aircraft	55 Stat. 602	21	
200	H.R. 1073	Classification Act of 1923, Amendments	55 Stat. 613	9, 18	
206	S. 1524	Amending the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940	55 Stat. 621	2, 9, 18	
208	S. 1642	Compensation for injury to persons employed by contractors at bases outside continental U. S.	55 Stat. 622	18	
213	S.J. Res. 95	Military Service Extension Act of 1941	55 Stat. 626	9, 18	
228	H.R. 4911	Flood Control, etc.	55 Stat. 638	9	
234	H.R. 3752	Sabotage	55 Stat. 655	2	
241	H.R. 5312	Navy Public Works Projects	55 Stat. 658	9	
247	H.R. 5412	First Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 669	2, 9, 18	
248	H.R. 5395	National Housing Act Amendment	55 Stat. 686	9	
250	H.R. 5417	Revenue Act of 1941	55 Stat. 687	2, 5, 9, 10, 16, 18, 19, 23	
274	S. 1579	Property Requisition Act of 1942	55 Stat. 742	2, 5, 9, 13, 18	
278	H.R. 5667	R. F. C. Act Amendment	55 Stat. 744	2, 18	
282	H.R. 5788	Second Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 745	2, 9, 18	
285	H.J. Res. 235	Tax Amortization Procedure	55 Stat. 757	2	
288	H.R. 5903	Veterans' Emergency Housing Act of 1946	55 Stat. 759	2, 9	

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292	H.R. 5463	Control of Shipping in U. S. Territorial Waters	55 Stat. 763	18	
294	H.J. Res. 237	Neutrality Act Amendment of Nov. 17, 1941	55 Stat. 764	5, 9, 18	5 does not include debates
295	S. 1840	Defense Highway Act of 1941	55 Stat. 765	2, 9, 18	
327	H.R. 5890	District of Columbia Emergency Rent Act	55 Stat. 788	5, 9	
338	S.J. Res. 117	Removal of certain restrictions on use of army of U. S.	55 Stat. 799	9	
351	H.R. 5074	Additional safeguards for radio communication service of U. S. ships	55 Stat. 808	6	
353	H.R. 6159	Third Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942	55 Stat. 810	9, 14, 18	
354	H.R. 6233	First War Powers Act	55 Stat. 838	2, 5, 9, 13, 18, 21, 23	
360	H.R. 6215	Selective Training and Service Act of 1940. Extending liability for military service	55 Stat. 844	9, 18, 20	
362	H.R. 5800	D. C. advances for defense public works	55 Stat. 847	9	
371	H.J. Res. 258	Additional Appropriation for National Defense, fiscal years, 1942-43	55 Stat. 855	2, 9, 18	
389	H.R. 5785	Public Accounts. Duties of disbursing officers	55 Stat. 875	9, 18	
401	H.R. 6163	To prohibit parking of vehicles in D. C. without consent of property owner	56 Stat. 5	9	
403	S. 2160	Daylight Saving Time	56 Stat. 9	2	
409	H.R. 6128	Defense Housing Amendments	56 Stat. 11	9	
411	H.R. 3487	Civil Service Retirement Act Amendments	56 Stat. 13	9, 18	
413	H.R. 6263	Communications Act of 1934, Amendment of Sec. 606	56 Stat. 18	2, 6, 18	
415	S. 1936	Office of Civilian Defense	56 Stat. 19	9, 18	
421	H.R. 5990	Emergency Price Control	56 Stat. 23	1, 2, 5, 9, 18, 21, 23	
422	H.R. 6448	Fourth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act of 1942	56 Stat. 37	2, 9, 18	
441	H.R. 6460	Navy Department Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 53	9, 19	
454	S. 1945	D. C. Motor Vehicle Parking Facilities Act of 1942	56 Stat. 90	9	
459	S.J. Res. 133	Neutrality Act Amendments of Feb. 21, 1942	56 Stat. 95	5	Debates not included
463	H.R. 6548	First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1942	56 Stat. 98	2, 9, 18	

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473	S. 2282	Guayule Rubber	56 Stat. 126	2	
474	H.R. 6611	Fifth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942	56 Stat. 128	2, 9, 18	
490	H.R. 6446	Pay and allowances for certain military and civilian personnel	56 Stat. 143	2, 9	
495	H.R. 6511	Treasury and Post Office Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 150	9, 18	
497	H.R. 6531	Scrap metal, suspending certain duties on	56 Stat. 171	2, 21	
498	H.R. 6291	Merchant Marine Act of 1936 extended to cover water-borne foreign commerce	56 Stat. 171	2	
506	S. 2198	Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act. Amendments	56 Stat. 174	2, 9, 18	
507	S. 2208	Second War Powers Act	56 Stat. 176	2, 5, 9, 12, 13, 18, 21, 23	
510	H.R. 6691	Public Debt Act of 1942	56 Stat. 189	9, 18	
517	H.R. 6023	Payment of accrued leave to Government employees entering military service	56 Stat. 200	9	
522	H.R. 6483	"Defense Housing Amendments" (Title IV added to Lanham Act)	56 Stat. 212	9, 14	
527	H.R. 6736	War Department Civil Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 219	9, 18	
528	H.R. 6868	Sixth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942	56 Stat. 226	1, 2, 9, 13, 18	13 has renegotiation clauses only
530	S. 2212	Suspension of certain provisions of leases of military property during the national emergency	56 Stat. 247	9	
549	S. 2315	Relief of small business	56 Stat. 275	2	
555	H.R. 3572	Tariff on Cocoa Fiber Mats	56 Stat. 283	21	
558	S. 210	Freight Forwarder Act	56 Stat. 284	12, 23	Part IV of Interstate Commerce Act
559	H.R. 6927	National Housing Act Amendments	56 Stat. 301	9, 14	
580	H.R. 4476	Welfare of enlisted personnel in the military establishment	56 Stat. 314	9	
592	H.R. 7008	R. F. C. increased lending authority	56 Stat. 326	2	
600	H.R. 6802	Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 330	9, 18	
603	S. 2250	Small business concerns. Mobilization for war production	56 Stat. 351	2, 9, 18	
607	S. 2025	Pay readjustment Act of 1942	56 Stat. 359	9	
622	H.R. 7066	Municipal Bankruptcy Compositions Act, Extension	56 Stat. 377	23	
625	S. 2467	Servicemen's Dependents' Allowance Act of 1942	56 Stat. 381	9	

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626	H.R. 7182	Seventh Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1942	56 Stat. 387	2, 18	
630	H.R. 6430	Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 392	9, 14, 18	
632	H.R. 7041	District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 424	9	
633	H.R. 7234	Exemption from duty on personal and household effects brought into U. S. under Government order	56 Stat. 461	21	
634	H.J. Res. 311	Continuing the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation	56 Stat. 461	1	No hearings
635	H.J. Res. 327	Free importation privileges to members of armed forces of other United Nations	56 Stat. 461	21	
638	S. 2558	Export Control	56 Stat. 463	2	
643	S. 2586	Requisition of Export-prohibited Materials. Extension of Law	56 Stat. 467	2	
644	H.R. 6599	State, Commerce, Justice and Judiciary Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 468	9, 18	
645	H.R. 6845	Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 506	2, 9, 18	
646	H.R. 6908	To amend the Defense Highway Act of 1941	56 Stat. 562	2, 9	
647	H.R. 7181	Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 562	9, 18	
648	H.R. 7232	Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1942	56 Stat. 593	2, 9, 18	
649	H.R. 7280	Military Establishment Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 611	2, 9, 18	
650	H.J. Res. 308	D. C. War Housing and Public Works Appropriation Act	56 Stat. 633	9, 14	
651	H.J. Res. 324	Emergency Relief Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 634	9, 18	
670	S. 2032	Interdepartmental Procurement of Defense Supplies and Services	56 Stat. 661	9	
674	H.R. 6709	Department of Agriculture Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 664	9, 18	
675	H.R. 6999	Florida Barge Canal	56 Stat. 703	9	
678	H.R. 7319	First Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 704	2, 9, 18, 19	
694	H.R. 6217	To amend the Classification Act of 1923	56 Stat. 733	9	
706	H.R. 6484	Frauds against the U. S. Suspension of statute of limitations	56 Stat. 747	1	No hearings
711	H.R. 6682	Cocoonut oil processing tax suspended	56 Stat. 752	9, 21	

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712	H.R. 7416	Absentee voting for members of military forces	56 Stat. 753	18	
715	H.R. 7235	D. C. Emergency Rent Control Act. Amendment of Sept. 26, 1942	56 Stat. 759	5, 9	
723	S. 2725	Second Lanham Act	56 Stat. 763	9, 14	
729	H.R. 7565	Stabilization Act of 1942	56 Stat. 765	1, 2, 5, 9, 13, 18, 21	
732	H.R. 7164	Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act Amendment of 1942	56 Stat. 769	5, 18	
740	S. 2731	Anti-Trust Law; Statute of Limitations	56 Stat. 781	2	
751	S. 2775	Amends the Act of March 5, 1942, relating to Guayule and other rubber plants	56 Stat. 796	1	Senate hearings only
753	H.R. 7378	Revenue Act of 1942	56 Stat. 798	2, 5, 9, 10, 13, 16, 18, 19	13 covers Renegotiation titles only
760	S. 2706	National Defense Housing Provisions extended	56 Stat. 988	9, 14	
763	H.R. 7672	Second Supplementary National Defense Appropriation Act, 1943	56 Stat. 990	2, 9, 14	
768	S. 2794	Patents, Adjustment of Royalties	56 Stat. 1013	2	
772	H.R. 7528	To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940	56 Stat. 1018	1, 9, 20	1 has House hearings only
773	H.R. 7629	Coast Guard Auxiliary and Reserve Act of 1941 Amendment	56 Stat. 1020	9	
784	S. 2412	Compensation for employees of U. S. contractors, killed and injured by enemy action	56 Stat. 1028	9	
785	S. 2723	Pay Readjustment Act of 1942, Amendment	56 Stat. 1037	9	
821	S.J. Res. 170	Overtime Pay Act for Government Employees	56 Stat. 1068	2, 9	
827	H.R. 7522	Day nurseries and nursery schools for D. C.	56 Stat. 1072	9	
831	S. 1666	Federal Reports Act of 1942	56 Stat. 1078	1, 2, 7, 9, 18	1 has no hearings
838	H.R. 5486	Regulation of building exits in D. C.	56 Stat. 1083	9	
846	H.R. 7781	Tax exemption of real property in D. C.	56 Stat. 1089	9	
850	H.R. 7370	Protection of vessels in wartime under the Communications Act of 1934	56 Stat. 1096	6	
—	S. 2600	Rubber Supply Act of 1942	—	2	Vetoed
78th Congress					
3	H.J. Res. 82	Urgent deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943	57 Stat. 4	1, 3, 9, 19	



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4	S. 158	Telegraph Company Merger Act, 1934	57 Stat. 5	6, 15	
8	H.R. 839	Prevention of speculation in lands of Columbia Basin Projects	57 Stat. 14	11	
9	H.R. 1501	Lend Lease Extension	57 Stat. 20	1, 5, 9, 18, 21	5 has reports, hearings and citations to debates only
11	H.R. 1975	First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943	57 Stat. 21	1, 3, 9	
14	H.R. 2030	Tobacco products, tax-free shipment for military forces	57 Stat. 42	1	No hearings
15	S. 6577	National Housing Act, Amendments	57 Stat. 42	9, 14	
17	H.R. 133	War Shipping Administration Amendments (clarifying Merchant Marine laws)	57 Stat. 45	5, 13, 19	
18	H.J. Res. 83	Wheat, additional sales for food	57 Stat. 52	1	No hearings
19	H.R. 1692	Navy Public Works	57 Stat. 52	9	
20	H.R. 2068	Navy Department Supplemental Appropriation, 1943	57 Stat. 52	1, 3, 9, 18	
22	S. 17	Temporary pay increase for certain employees	57 Stat. 57	9	
23	S. 886	Selective Service deferment of Federal employees	57 Stat. 57	1, 2	1 has no hearings
34	H.R. 1780	Increase in U.S. debt limit and Stabilization Act Amendment	57 Stat. 63	1, 5, 9, 18, 21	1 has no hearings
42	S. 991	Stabilization Fund extension	57 Stat. 68	18	
43	H.R. 2020	Tobacco marketings, further regulation under Agriculture Adjustment Act	57 Stat. 69	1	No hearings
45	H.J. Res. 96	Farm labor supply. Appropriation, calendar year 1943	57 Stat. 70	1, 3, 18	
48	H.J. Res. 14	Execution of certain obligations under treaties with Panama	57 Stat. 74	9	
49	H.R. 1860	War Overtime Pay Act, 1943	57 Stat. 75	1, 9, 21	
50	H.J. Res. 115	Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943	57 Stat. 78	9, 18	
52	H.R. 2281	Issuance of device in recognition of services of merchant sailors	57 Stat. 81	19	
54	H.R. 2159	Special assessments for laying curbs and gutters, District of Columbia	57 Stat. 83	9	
66	H.J. Res. 111	Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act Extension	57 Stat. 125	21	

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67	H.R. 2848	Farm Labor supply. Appropriation extension	57 Stat. 125	1	No hearings
68	H.R. 2570	Current Tax Payment Act, 1943	57 Stat. 126	1, 5, 9, 10, 16, 18, 23	1 has Senate hearings only; 16, 23 have many bills
70	H.R. 2753	Defense Aid Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1943	57 Stat. 151	1, 3, 9, 18	
71	H.J. Res. 133	Wheat, additional sales for feed	57 Stat. 152	1	No hearings
78	H.R. 2584	Certain Naval trust funds abolished	57 Stat. 152	5	
85	H.R. 2750	Communications Act Amendment	57 Stat. 161	6	
86	H.J. Res. 128	Work Relief Appropriation, Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands	57 Stat. 161	1, 3, 9	1 has no hearings
87	H.R. 131	Reemployment rights, members of Merchant Marine	57 Stat. 162	1	No hearings
89	S. 796	War Labor Disputes Act	57 Stat. 163	2, 5, 9, 13, 15, 21	
90	H.R. 1762	Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 169	1, 3, 9, 14, 18, 21	
91	H.R. 2427	Emergency Farm Mortgage Amendment	57 Stat. 196	1	
92	H.R. 2713	Naval Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 197	1, 3, 9, 18, 19	
94	S. 972	Interdepartmental procurement	57 Stat. 219	1, 9	1 has Senate hearings only
96	H.R. 2409	Legislative and Judiciary Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 220	1, 3, 9	
97	H.R. 2612	Safeguards to radio communications service, U.S. ships, extension	57 Stat. 244	6	
102	H.R. 1648	Treasury and Post Office Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 250	1, 3, 9, 18	
104	S. 217	Acts requisitioning property for national defense, continuance	57 Stat. 271	1, 9	1 has no hearings
105	H.R. 2397	State, Justice and Commerce Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 271	1, 3, 9, 18	
107	H.R. 2513	District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 312	9, 18	
108	H.R. 2996	Military Establishment Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 347	9, 13, 18	13 covers renegotiation clauses only
110	S. 495	Women's Army Corps	57 Stat. 371	9	
115	H.R. 2943	Disposal of certain records of the U.S. government	57 Stat. 380	1, 9	1 has no hearings
118	H.J. Res. 144	Tobacco marketing	57 Stat. 387	1	No hearings
119	S. 1109	War Housing Appropriations, Increased authorization	57 Stat. 387	9, 14	

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120	H.R. 6	Authorizing Secretary of Agriculture to adjust titles to lands	57 Stat. 388	1	No hearings
126	H.R. 1991	Selective Service Act postponing induction of High School students	57 Stat. 391	20	
129	H.R. 2481	Department of Agriculture Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 392	1, 3, 9	
132	H.R. 2714	Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943	57 Stat. 431	1, 3, 9, 18	
133	H.R. 2719	Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 451	1, 3, 9	
135	H.R. 2935	Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 494	1, 3, 9	
136	H.J. Res. 37	Butter substitute for St. Elizabeth's Hospital	57 Stat. 520	1	No hearings
137	S. 35	Use of Government owned Silver for war purposes	57 Stat. 520	2	
138	S. 1134	Emergency flood-control work	57 Stat. 521	1	Senate hearings only
139	H.R. 2968	National War Agencies Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 522	1, 2, 3, 9, 18, 19	
140	H.R. 3030	Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1943	57 Stat. 537	1, 3, 9, 14	
146	H.R. 2798	Defense Highway Act, Amendment	57 Stat. 560	2, 9	
149	H.R. 1900	To prevent excessive fees in connection with war contracts	57 Stat. 564	2, 9, 13	
150	H.R. 2936	Authorization for increased Appropriation for community facilities under Lanham Acts	57 Stat. 565	9, 14	
151	H.J. Res. 147	Commodity Credit Corporation continuance to Dec. 31, 1943	57 Stat. 566	1, 5, 7, 11	1 has no hearings
152	S. 1252	Water conservation and utilization projects, Amendment of certain Acts	57 Stat. 566	1, 11	
156	H.J. Res. 159	Emergency maternity care for wives of enlisted men, additional appropriation	57 Stat. 569	9	
158	S. 755	National Housing Act Mortgage foreclosures, amendment	57 Stat. 570	9, 14	
159	H.R. 3291	National Housing Act, Amendment	57 Stat. 571	9, 14	
172	H.R. 2888	Internal Revenue Code Amendment	57 Stat. 575	16	No hearings
174	S. 1279	Servicemen's Dependents' Allowance Act, Amendment	57 Stat. 577	9	
178	H.R. 3381	Victory Tax Credits	57 Stat. 584	9	
184	S. 400	Public Health Service, Organization	57 Stat. 587	1, 9	
197	S. 763	Selective Training and Service Act, Amendment	57 Stat. 596	9	
211	H.J. Res. 171	Duty-free importation of livestock feeds	57 Stat. 607	1, 21	1 has no hearings

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213	H.R. 1203	Informer Statute	57 Stat. 608	13	
216	H.R. 3598	First Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1944	57 Stat. 611	1, 3, 9, 14	14 with reference to \$50 million supplemental war housing appropriation
217	H.J. Res. 209	Farm Labor Supply. Appropriation extension	57 Stat. 643	1, 3	
219	S.J. Res. 103	Commodity Credit Corporation continuance to Feb. 17, 1944	57 Stat. 643	1, 5, 7, 21	1 has no hearings; 5 has hearings and reports only
222	H.R. 3611	Court Reporters in United States District Courts	58 Stat. 5	13	
225	S. 1543	Mustering-out Payment Act, 1944	58 Stat. 8	1, 9	1 has no hearings
229	H.J. Res. 208	Farm Labor Supply Appropriation, 1944	58 Stat. 11	1, 3, 9	1 has no hearings
235	H.R. 3687	Revenue Act of 1943	58 Stat. 21	5, 9, 10, 13, 16, 18, 23	13 covers only renegotiation, but includes supplemental legislative material and bibliography
236	H.R. 2580	Interstate compact, Belle Fourche River Basin	58 Stat. 94	1	No hearings
240	S.J. Res. 116	Commodity Credit Corporation continuance to June 30, 1945	58 Stat. 105	1, 5, 7, 18, 21	
243	H.R. 1047	Relief of State of Oregon in regard to protection of certain lands	58 Stat. 108	1	No hearings
244	H.R. 149	Definition and standards, certain dry milk solids	58 Stat. 108	1	House hearings only
248	S. 1633	Training of nurses	58 Stat. 111	9	
251	H.R. 4166	Bankruptcy Act Amendment	58 Stat. 113	1	No hearings
254	S.J. Res. 78	Cash awards for suggestions of employees of Maritime Commission and War Shipping Administration	58 Stat. 115	9	
267	H.J. Res. 192	U.S. participation in UNRRA	58 Stat. 122	1, 9, 18	
272	H.R. 4410	Duty-free import of livestock feed, extension	58 Stat. 131	1, 21	1 has no hearings
273	S. 250	To promote sustained-yield forest management	58 Stat. 132	1	No hearings
275	S. 1647	Surety bonds	58 Stat. 135	1	Senate hearings only
276	H.J. Res. 234	Further regulation of tobacco under Agricultural Adjustment Act	58 Stat. 136	1	No hearings

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277	S. 1285	Soldiers' vote Bill	58 Stat. 136	18	
279	H.R. 4346	First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1944	58 Stat. 150	1, 3, 9, 14, 18	
288	H.R. 3912	Defense Highway Act, Section 6 Amendment	58 Stat. 189	9	
289	H.R. 4381	Navy Public Works	58 Stat. 189	9	
290	S. 1243	Demonstration plants to produce synthetic liquid fuels	58 Stat. 190	1, 13	1 has no hearings
293	H.R. 4133	Treasury and Post Office Departments Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 195	1, 3, 9, 18	
295	H.R. 3257	Merchant Marine Act Amendment	58 Stat. 216	5	
296	S. 45	Study of effects of tax laws on forest perpetuation	58 Stat. 216	1	House hearings only
304	H.R. 4254	Lend-Lease extension	58 Stat. 222	1, 9, 18, 21	
307	H.J. Res. 380	Assistance to flood-damaged farmers	58 Stat. 224	1	No hearings
310	S. 1618	Relating to receipts from certain national forests	58 Stat. 227	1	No hearings
315	H.R. 4646	Individual Income Tax Act, 1944	58 Stat. 231	5, 9, 10, 16, 18	No hearings held
321	H.R. 3848	National survey of forest resources, Amendment	58 Stat. 265	1	No hearings
328	S. 1758	Tariff Act of 1930, Amendment	58 Stat. 269	18	
329	H.R. 3570	Partial construction of Hungry Horse Dam, Montana	58 Stat. 270	1	House hearings only
333	H.R. 4464	Public Debt Act, 1944	58 Stat. 272	9, 18, 21	
345	H.R. 4833	Sugar Act of 1937, Extension	58 Stat. 283	1	No hearings
346	S. 1767	Servicemen's Readjustment Act, 1944	58 Stat. 284	1, 4, 5, 9, 14, 20, 21, 23	1 has House hearings only
347	H.R. 4559	Naval Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 301	9, 19	
351	H.R. 1475	Civil Service Retirement Act, Amendment	58 Stat. 326	1	No hearings
352	H.R. 4183	War Department Civil Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 327	9	
353	H.R. 4320	Interest on returned employee contributions to Civil Service Retirement Fund	58 Stat. 334	1	No hearings
354	H.R. 4414	Legislative and Judiciary Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 334	9	
357	S. 1232	Rewards for suggestions by employees, Interior Department	58 Stat. 360	9, 13	
358	H.R. 4070	Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 361	1, 3, 9, 14, 18, 19, 21	

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359	H.R. 4115	Veterans' Preference Act	58 Stat. 387	1, 9, 21	1 has Senate hearings only
364	H.R. 4033	Use of penalty mail privilege	58 Stat. 394	1, 9, 21	1 has no hearings
365	H.R. 4204	State, Justice and Commerce Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 395	1, 3, 9	
366	H.R. 4292	Civil Service. Interest on refund claims	58 Stat. 425	1	No hearings
367	H.R. 4443	Agriculture Department Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 425	1, 3, 9	
369	H.R. 4679	Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 463	1, 3, 9	
371	H.R. 4861	District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 509	9	
372	H.R. 4879	National War Agencies Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 533	1, 2, 3, 9, 19	
373	H.R. 4899	Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 547	1, 3, 9	
374	H.R. 4967	Military Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 573	9, 18	
375	H.R. 5040	Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1944. Covers prohibition of O.P.A. grade labelling.)	58 Stat. 597	1, 3, 5, 9, 14, 18	14 has special reference to war housing appropriation and liquidation of U.S. - Housing Corporation
378	S. 1748	Property Requisition Act Extension	58 Stat. 624	1	No hearings
380	S.J. Res. 93	Philippine Independence	58 Stat. 625	21	
381	S.J. Res. 94	Filipino Rehabilitation Commission	58 Stat. 626	21	
382	H.R. 4937	Foreign Economic Administration Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 627	1, 3, 9, 18, 21	Includes Lend-Lease and UNRRA Appropriation
383	S. 1764	Stabilization Extension Act, 1944	58 Stat. 632	1, 5, 9, 18, 21, 23	1 has Senate hearings only
387	H.R. 4102	Reduced rate of interest on Land Bank Commissioner loans. Extension	58 Stat. 646	1	No hearings
390	H.R. 4837	Partial suspension of processing tax on cocoanut oil, extension	58 Stat. 647	1, 21	1 has no hearings. Also corrects typographical error in individual income tax of 1944
392	S. 1947	National Housing Act Amendment	58 Stat. 648	14	
395	S. 1718	Contract Settlement Act of 1944	58 Stat. 649	1, 2, 5, 9, 13, 14, 18	1 has Senate hearings only



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401	H.R. 702	Permitting prepayment for certain housing sold by Re-settlement Administration and Farm Security Administration	58 Stat. 675	1	No hearings
410	H.R. 4624	Public Health Service Act	58 Stat. 682	1, 9	
411	H.R. 4728	Authorizing use of Lanham Act funds for processing priorities for war housing	58 Stat. 720	9, 14	
414	H.R. 4881	Tariff: Isonipecaime classification	58 Stat. 721	21	
425	H.R. 4278	Department of Agriculture Organic Act of 1944	58 Stat. 734	1	No hearings
448	H.R. 4114	Amending War Overtime Pay Act of 1943. Customs Officers' overtime	58 Stat. 758	1, 21	1 has no hearings
457	H.R. 5125	Surplus Property Act of 1944	58 Stat. 765	1, 5, 9, 14, 18	1 has no hearings
458	S. 2051	War Mobilization and Reconversion Act, 1944	58 Stat. 785	1, 2, 5, 9, 18, 21	1 has no hearings
473	H.R. 5386	Selective Training and Service Act, Amendment. Re-employment time extension	58 Stat. 798	1, 5	1 has no hearings
495	H.R. 5564	Social Security Tax rate freeze	58 Stat. 812	5	
501	S. 198	Civil Service Retirement Act Amendment	58 Stat. 815	1	No hearings
504	H.R. 1033	Cocoanuts duty free	58 Stat. 817	21	
506	H.R. 2644	District of Columbia commissioners, additional powers	58 Stat. 819	9	
508	H.R. 4867	District of Columbia health regulations extended to Government restaurants	58 Stat. 826	1, 9	1 has no hearings
509	H.R. 4993	Second War Powers Act Extension	58 Stat. 827	1, 2, 5, 9, 18, 21	1 has no hearings
510	H.R. 5029	Internal Development of Virgin Islands	58 Stat. 827	9	
511	H.R. 5543	Powers of appointment and pension trusts, extending time for release	58 Stat. 830	5	
518	S. 1688	Authorizing Secretary of Agriculture to compromise, adjust, or cancel certain indebtedness	58 Stat. 836	1	No hearings
521	S. 2105	Federal Aid Highway Act of 1944	58 Stat. 838	1, 9	1 has no hearings
525	H.R. 4918	Payment to Government employees of accrued annual leave on separation	58 Stat. 845	1, 9, 14, 18	1 has no hearings
529	H.R. 5587	First Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1945	58 Stat. 853	1, 3, 9, 14, 18	14 has special reference to war housing
534	H.R. 4485	Rivers and Harbors Act	58 Stat. 887	1, 11	
546	H.R. 3429	Consultants' Act, Amendment (Reclamation Projects)	58 Stat. 915	11	

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551	H.R. 4911	Federal Crop Insurance Act Amendment	58 Stat. 918	1, 5	House hearings were never published
552	H.R. 4968	Merchant Marine Act Amendments	58 Stat. 920	5	
554	H.R. 5062	Authorizing certain transactions by disbursing officers	58 Stat. 921	18	
563	H.R. 5566	Department of Agriculture Organic Act of 1944, Amendment	58 Stat. 925	1	No hearings
564	H.R. 5571	To omit or defer the five year valuation of the Civil Service Retirement Fund for the "duration" and one year thereafter	58 Stat. 926	1	No hearings
566	S. 1481	Civil Service Retirement Act, Amendment	58 Stat. 927	1	
	H.R. 2731	Just compensation for requisitioned vessels	—	19	Did not become law
	H.R. 2869	Commodity Credit Corporation, continuance	—	5, 7	Vetoed, July 20, 1943. 5 has hearings and reports only
	H.R. 3477	Commodity Credit Corporation, continuance	—	5, 7	Vetoed, February 18, 1944. 5 has hearings and reports only
		Aviation bills. Material on measures on this subject, none of which became law	—	5	
	H.R. 4486	Post war disposition of merchant vessels	—	19	
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4	S. 375	Consolidation of Government lending agencies (Federal Loan agency independent establishment)	59 Stat. 5	1, 14, 18, 22	1 has Senate hearings only
5	H.J. Res. 85	Census of Agriculture. Additional Appropriation, 1945	59 Stat. 6	1	House hearings only
12	S. 338	Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, Amendment	59 Stat. 9	1	No hearings
15	S. 340	Intent of Congress as to regulation of insurance business	59 Stat. 33	5, 22, 23	
24	H.R. 2126	War Department Civil Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 39	1, 3, 9, 22	
26	H.J. Res. 141	Supplemental Appropriations for fiscal year 1945	59 Stat. 46	1, 9, 22	
27	S. 681	National Housing Act, Amendments	59 Stat. 47	14	
28	H.R. 2404	To increase the debt limit of the United States	59 Stat. 47	18, 21, 22	

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30	S. 298	Commodity Credit Corporation continuance	59 Stat. 50	1, 5, 18, 21	1 has Senate hearings only 5 has reports, hearings, citations to debates only
31	H.R. 2013	Lend-Lease Act extension	59 Stat. 52	1, 5, 18, 21, 22	
35	H.R. 1534	Fact Finders' Act, Amendment	59 Stat. 54	11	
38	H.R. 2252	Treasury and Post Office Departments Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 56	1, 3, 9, 18, 22	
39	S. 37	Amendatory contracts under Reclamation Project Act of 1939. Extension of time.	59 Stat. 75	11	
40	H.R. 2374	First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1945	59 Stat. 77	1, 3, 9, 14, 18, 22	
42	S. 105	Smaller War Plants Corporation, Extension	59 Stat. 95	18	
48	H.R. 689	To enable the Department of State to carry out its duties in foreign lands	59 Stat. 102	18	
49	H.R. 1984	Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 106	1, 3, 4, 9, 14, 21, 22	
52	H.R. 2689	Department of Agriculture Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 136	1, 3, 22	
53	H.J. Res. 174	Additional Appropriations, 1945	59 Stat. 166	18	
54	H.R. 2625	Selective Service and Training Act, extension	59 Stat. 166	18, 20, 22	
85	H.R. 3109	Legislative Branch Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 238	18, 22	
87	H.R. 3322	Lanham Act, Title V. Addition to provide Veterans' housing	59 Stat. 260	9, 14, 22	
88	S. 502	Subsidies in connection with price control continued	59 Stat. 260	2, 22	
103	H.R. 3306	District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 271	9, 22	
106	S. 807	Federal Employees' Pay Act of 1945	59 Stat. 295	4, 5, 9, 14, 18, 21, 22	
108	S.J. Res. 30	Emergency Price Control Act, extension	59 Stat. 306	5, 18, 21	
109	S.J. Res. 65	Transfer to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation of certain Government Corporations	59 Stat. 310	18	
120	H.R. 3233	Occupancy of Government housing facilities by military personnel	59 Stat. 316	14, 22	
123	H.R. 3024	Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 318	9, 11, 22	
124	H.R. 3199	Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 361	9, 22	
125	H.R. 3278	Lanham Act, Title II Amendment	59 Stat. 383	9, 14, 22	

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126	H.R. 3550	Military Establishment Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 384	18, 22	
127	H.J. Res. 202	Reduction of Appropriations, 1945	59 Stat. 407	9	
130	H.R. 3240	Reciprocal Trade Agreement Act, 1945 Extension	59 Stat. 410	5, 21, 22	
132	H.R. 3579	Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1945	59 Stat. 412	9, 14, 18, 22	
138	H.R. 3118	Priorities for Veterans' Administration	59 Stat. 463	9, 22	
156	H.R. 3368	National War Agencies Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 473	9, 22	
171	H.R. 3314	Bretton Woods Agreement	59 Stat. 512	5, 18, 22	
172	H.R. 3633	Tax Adjustment Act, 1945	59 Stat. 517	5, 10, 16, 22	There was no conference report
173	H.R. 3771	Export-Import Bank Act, 1945	59 Stat. 526	18, 22	
180	H.R. 3239	Internal Revenue Code Amendment (Mechanical pencils exempt from jewelry tariff)	59 Stat. 532	18	
181	H.R. 3907	Surplus Property Act of 1944, Amendment (Single Administrator)	59 Stat. 533	5	
200	S.J. Res. 109	Surplus Property Act of 1944, extension of time for disposition of aluminum plants	59 Stat. 546	5	
208	H.R. 3220	Boundary Line, District of Columbia—Virginia	59 Stat. 552	9, 22	
214	H.R. 4309	To reduce taxation	59 Stat. 556	9, 22	
226	S. 1036	Terminal leave payments for enlisted men	59 Stat. 584	14, 22	
263	H.R. 4129	Government reorganization Act of 1945	59 Stat. 613	5, 9, 21, 22	
264	S. 1580	Ratification of United Nations Charter	59 Stat. 619	5, 22	
268	H.R. 3749	Servicemen's Readjustment Act, Amendment	59 Stat. 623	9, 14, 21, 22	
269	H.R. 4805	First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1946	59 Stat. 632	9, 22	
270	H.R. 4780	Second War Powers Act, Amendment	59 Stat. 658	2, 9, 21, 22	
301	H.R. 5158	Reducing certain Appropriations and contract authorizations, 1946	60 Stat. 6	9, 22	
303	H.R. 2764	"Freight forwarders" provisions of Interstate Commerce Act, Amendment	60 Stat. 21	5	
304	S. 380	Employment Act of 1946	60 Stat. 23	5, 9, 22	
321	H.R. 3603	Merchant Ship Sales Act of 1946	60 Stat. 41	5, 22	

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322	H.R. 4571	First War Powers Act, Amendment, return of vested property to persons not hostile to the United States	60 Stat. 50	5, 22	
329	H.R. 5458	Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1946	60 Stat. 57	9, 22	
334	H.R. 5201	Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1947	60 Stat. 60	9, 22	
370	S. 1610	Philippine Rehabilitation Act of 1946	60 Stat. 128	5, 9, 22	
371	H.R. 5856	Philippine Trade Act, 1946	60 Stat. 141	22	
375	S. 1757	Surplus Property Act, 1944	60 Stat. 168	5, 22	Veterans' priority
377	S. 2	Federal Airport Act	60 Stat. 170	5, 9, 22	5 includes aviation bills of 79th Congress which failed to become law
388	H.R. 4761	Veterans' Emergency Housing Act of 1946	60 Stat. 207	5, 9, 22	
390	S. 1415	Federal Employees' Pay Act of 1946	60 Stat. 216	9, 22	
391	H.R. 5604	Second Supplemental Surplus Appropriation Rescission Act of 1946	60 Stat. 221	9, 22	
404	S. 7	Administrative Procedure Act	60 Stat. 237	2, 5, 21, 22	21 includes bills as follows : 77th Congress : H.R. 6324 and 915, with veto message, S. 674, S. 675, 918, H.R. 4238, 4782, 3464. 78th Congress : S. 2030, H.R. 4314, 5081, 5237
419	H.R. 6601	Third Urgent Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1946	60 Stat. 262	9, 22	
464	H.R. 4160	Referees in bankruptcy, Compensation	60 Stat. 323	5, 22	
475	H.R. 5716	Second War Powers Act. Extension	60 Stat. 345	2, 22	
478	H.R. 6335	Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1947	60 Stat. 348	9, 22	
487	H.R. 4512	National Mental Health Act	60 Stat. 421	9, 22	
489	H.R. 1654	Trade mark registration Act	60 Stat. 427	5, 22	5 includes 76th, 77th, 78th Congress hearings
493	H.R. 5990	District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1947	60 Stat. 501	9, 22	
509	S.J. Res. 138	British loan	60 Stat. 535	5, 22	

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518	H.R. 5452	Treasury and Post Office Departments Appropriation Act, 1947	60 Stat. 568	9, 22	
519	H.R. 6777	Government Corporations Appropriation Act, 1947	60 Stat. 586	9, 22	
520	S. 752	Strategic and Critical materials stockpiling	60 Stat. 596	2, 5, 22	
521	H.R. 6885	Third Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1946	60 Stat. 600	2, 9, 22	2 includes 3rd supplemental surplus appropriation Rescission Act, 1946
548	H.J. Res. 371	Price control and stabilization Acts, 1946. Extension	60 Stat. 664	2, 22	
549	H.R. 6739	Labor-Federal Security Appropriation. 1947	60 Stat. 679	9, 22	
579	H.R. 4590	Use of Government-owned silver by industry	60 Stat. 750	5	
584	S. 1636	Amending Surplus Property Act of 1944 (Department of State to dispose of foreign surplus property)	60 Stat. 754	5	
585	S. 1717	Atomic Energy Act of 1946	60 Stat. 755	5, 9, 22	
601	S. 2177	Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946	60 Stat. 812	9, 22, 13	Includes Federal Regulation of Lobbying Act, Tort Claims Act, General Bridge Act
635	H.R. 6702	Surplus Property Act of 1944 Amendment. (Rights of former owners of real property)	60 Stat. 886	5, 22	
663	H.J. Res. 390	First Supplemental Appropriation Act, 1947	60 Stat. 910	9, 22	
671	H.R. 6890	First War Powers Act Amendment. (Claims for alien property seized.)	60 Stat. 925	5	
691	H.R. 6030	Meteorology and Thunderstorms Act	60 Stat. 944	5, 22	
719	H.R. 7037	Social Security Act, 1946 Amendments	60 Stat. 978	5, 22	
725	S. 191	Hospital Survey and Construction Act	60 Stat. 1040	9	
730	H.R. 5560	Air Mail Rate Act of August 14, 1946	60 Stat. 1062	5, 22	
	S. Res. 196	Recognition of compulsory jurisdiction of International Court of Justice	—	5	Passed Senate by necessary two-thirds vote August 2.



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					Proclaimed by President
					August 14, 1946
					Vetoed June 11, 1946
H.R. 4908		"Case Bill"	—	5	
H.R. 6578		"Temporary" labor bill	—	5	Did not pass Senate
H.J. Res. 106		Agriculture and War Industry Deferment under Selective Service	—	20	Vetoed May 3, 1945
H. Con. Res. 151 and 154		Congressional action on President's plans 2 and 3 under Reorganization Act of 1946	—	5	Did not pass Senate
		Interstate Commerce Act	—	5	
		Congressional action regarding commodities clause and divorcement, 1906-41	—		
		American Merchant Marine. Compilation of material from 63rd Congress (1916) through 78th, 1st Session (1943)	—	19	Bills, reports, addresses, etc.
558		Sugar Act. Extension	—	5	

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By order of the Supreme Court, signed by Mr. Chief Justice Hughes on June 1, 1931, the printed records and briefs are sent by the Clerk to twenty libraries.<sup>2</sup> Through the efforts of a special committee of the American Association of Law Libraries, the Law Library of the University of Washington was added to this group in 1937.<sup>3</sup> However, it receives only the briefs, the supply of records being insufficient to permit of any further distribution.

It was found impracticable by the Court to require the printing of records and briefs in addition to the numbers already required by its rules.<sup>4</sup>

For this reason, the American Association of Law Libraries appointed a committee, under the chairmanship of the late Helen S. Moylan, Law Librarian of the State University of Iowa, to study the possibility of making these valuable legal records more widely available by microfilm reproduction.<sup>5</sup> Subsequently, in 1940, partly as a result of the work of that committee, the Legal Microfilm Association was formed with six charter members, to whom were sent microfilm copies of the records and briefs of the Supreme Court beginning with the October Term, 1938. The Association now has ten members.

The microfilming is done by the Department of Photographic Reproduction of the University of Chicago from the set of papers received by the University of Chicago Law Library. To reduce bulk, copying is restricted to the records and briefs of cases in which an opinion was rendered. Cases in which certiorari was denied and those disposed of *per curiam* or otherwise without written opinion are excluded.

The Legal Microfilm Association is non-profit. Each member-library pays an equal share of the cost of the negative, plus a fixed charge for the positive film furnished. These com-

\*The compilers are indebted to Miss Helen Newman, Librarian, Supreme Court of the United States, for her encouragement and advice. She began the correspondence leading to the collection of data, which she later turned over to the compilers, and also furnished them with much information about the Legal Microfilm Association.

<sup>1</sup>Thirty copies of the record and forty copies of the briefs (including the petition for writ of certiorari or jurisdictional statement) are required to be printed. Revised Rules of the Supreme Court, Rule 13, paragraph 3; Rule 27, paragraph 1; Rule 38, paragraph 2.

<sup>2</sup>24 *L. Lib. J.* 163, 166 (Oct. 1931).

<sup>3</sup>See 30 *L. Lib. J.* 270 (July 1937).

<sup>4</sup>24 *L. Lib. J.* 163, 165 (Oct. 1931). See note 1, *supra*. It should be borne in mind that increased printing costs would be paid by the parties, thus adding to the cost of litigation.

<sup>5</sup>31 *L. Lib. J.* 259 (Sept. 1938).

bined constitute the subscription-price, which averages about \$175.00 a term. New members may begin with the current term or may subscribe for previous terms, as far back as 1938. Mr. Hobart Coffey, Law Librarian of the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, Michigan, is Chairman of the Association.

In the following list, libraries are arranged alphabetically by state and city. In subsequent columns are given descriptions of their holdings of rec-

ords and briefs (microfilm sets being designated by the letter "M"), statements as to whether loans are made,<sup>6</sup> and an indication of the method of arrangement of each set. This last will make it possible for librarians writing for loans or copies to cite cases in the manner most convenient for the holding library.

<sup>6</sup>Those interested in copying services are referred to the coded information given on the front lining-papers of the Union List of Serials. While the same services may not always be available for records and briefs as for serials, and although all libraries holding Supreme Court papers are not listed there, the list may be helpful in suggesting where copying may be done.

STATE AND CITY	NAME OF LIBRARY	HOLDINGS (TERM AND VOLUME NUMBER)	LOAN SERVICE	METHOD OF ARRANGEMENT
<i>California</i>				
Los Angeles	Los Angeles County Law Library	M 1938 (305 U.S.)—	yes	U.S. citation
San Francisco	San Francisco Law Library	1916 (242 U.S.)—(Recent years as complete as distribution will permit)	reluctantly and with discretion	by term and docket number, indexed and cross-indexed by parties
<i>Connecticut</i>				
Hartford	State Library	1907 (207 U.S.)—(Also more than 100 cases from 1885 to 1906)	no	docket number
New Haven	Yale University Law Library	1925 (269 U.S.)—(Also scattered cases prior to 1925)	yes	U.S. citation
<i>District of Columbia</i>				
	Department of Justice	Cases in which United States was a party, 1880—(1880-1885 incomplete)	no	docket number
	Law Library of Congress	Records: Jan. Term, 1832 (6 Peters)— Briefs: Dec. Term, 1854 (17 Howard)—	2nd copies only	U.S. citation
	Supreme Court of the United States	Records: Jan. Term, 1832 (6 Peters)— Briefs: Dec. Term, 1854 (17 Howard)—	no	docket number
<i>Illinois</i>				
Chicago	Chicago Bar Association	1886 (118 U.S.) to 1916 (244 U.S.)— (Records only for 1894-1913); 1921 (257 U.S.)—(Scattered cases for 1874-1883 and 1917-1920)	no	U.S. citation
	Univ. of Chicago Law School	1916 (242 U.S.)—	no	U.S. citation
<i>Indiana</i>				
Bloomington	Indiana University Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)		
Indianapolis	Supreme Court of Indiana	1925 (269 U.S.)—	with the approval of the Chief Justice	U.S. citation
<i>Iowa</i>				
Iowa City	State University Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)—	yes	U.S. citation
<i>Kentucky</i>				
Louisville	Univ. of Louisville Law School	1924 (266 U.S.)—	no	docket number
<i>Louisiana</i>				
Baton Rouge	State University Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)—	no	U.S. citation
<i>Massachusetts</i>				
Boston	Social Law Library	1911 (222 U.S.)—	no	by volume of U.S. Reports and alphabetically by name of case
Cambridge	Harvard University Law Library	1881 (105 U.S.)—	no	by volume of U.S. Reports and alphabetically by name of case
<i>Michigan</i>				
Ann Arbor	Univ. of Michigan Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)	yes	U.S. citation
Lansing	State Library	1870 (11 Wall.)—Scattered cases for 1869 Term (10 Wall.); index to cases from 1869 (10 Wall.) to 1910 (221 U.S.)	yes	docket number

STATE AND CITY	NAME OF LIBRARY	HOLDINGS (TERM AND VOLUME NUMBER)	LOAN SERVICE	METHOD OF ARRANGEMENT
<i>Minnesota</i> Duluth	Bar Association Library	1917 (245 U.S.)—	yes	U.S. citation
Minneapolis	University of Minnesota	1924 (266 U.S.)—(Few scattered briefs for years prior to 1924)	no	Alphabetically by name of plaintiff per volume of U.S. Reports
St. Paul	State Library West Pub. Co.	1897 (168 U.S.)— Current papers only.	no Sent to Duluth Bar Association Library after publication in U.S. Supreme Court Reporter annual volume.	docket number
<i>New York</i> Albany	State Law Library	1874 (87 U.S.)—	no	docket number
Ithaca	Cornell University Law Library	1929 (280 U.S.)—	no	U.S. citation
New York	Association of the Bar of the City of New York	1832 (6 Peters)— (1832 to 1880 Terms incomplete)	no	U.S. citation
	Columbia University Law Library	1924 (266 U.S.)— (1924 Term incomplete)	no	docket number
Rochester	Lawyers' Co-op. Publishing Co.	Current papers only.	Bound and sent to New York State Law Library at Albany.	
<i>North Carolina</i> Durham	Duke University Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)—	no	U.S. citation
<i>Ohio</i> Cleveland	Cleveland Law Library Association	1911 (222 U.S.) to 1914 (238 U.S.); 1917 (245 U.S.)—		
<i>Pennsylvania</i> Philadelphia	Philadelphia Bar Association	Records: Jan. Term, 1832 (6 Peters)— Briefs: Dec. Term, 1854 (17 Howard)—	no	U.S. citation
	Univ. of Pennsylvania Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)—	yes	U.S. citation
Pittsburgh	Allegheny County Law Library	1912 (226 U.S.)—	no	U.S. citation
<i>Texas</i> Austin	Univ. of Texas Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)—	no	U.S. citation
<i>Washington</i> Seattle	Univ. of Washington Law School	1936 (299 U.S.) (Briefs only)	yes	docket number
<i>Wisconsin</i> Madison	Univ. of Wisconsin Law School	M 1938 (305 U.S.)—	no	U.S. citation

M—Microfilm set (Restricted to cases in which opinion was rendered).

## BOOK REVIEWS

LEGAL BIBLIOGRAPHY AND LEGAL RESEARCH. By *Rebecca Notz*. Washington, D. C. National Law Book Co. 1947. 234 pp. \$5.00. Part I, Legal Bibliography. Part II, Legal Research. Part III, Legal Research Problems.

The author, a member of the District of Columbia and United States Supreme Court bars, with a background of twenty years of applied experience at the Library of Congress and nearly a decade of teaching legal bibliography, presents the ideal combination of qualifications to prepare a manual on this very important subject. Long experience in reducing facts to concrete legal propositions and then finding the law thereon, or in directing the work of students, is reflected in her thorough and conscientious treatment. As stated in the author's Preface, the manual is "intended for use by lawyers, students and research workers as a practical guide to American law books and legal research." In the opinion of this reviewer, the manual meets adequately the needs of these three classes of workers. To the lawyer it offers a concise and practical description of the numerous legal tools available to him, uncolored by publishers' blandishments, presenting logical alternative publications to him whose library facilities may be limited; to the student it offers an understandable and progressive approach to the several major categories of research materials and a wealth of detail rarely if ever available between two covers, complemented by practice problems; to the research worker (and the librarian) it combines many of the excel-

lent features of standard treatises on legal bibliography with the convenience of the ready reference handbook.

The text is authoritative but simply phrased. Specific statements, concise references to standard works, adequate bibliographic information has been the author's rule. Her voluminous "Notes" have been presented as an appendix rather than as explanatory footnotes, which some users might prefer. In their present form, however, the forty-four pages of Notes in themselves form a comprehensive bibliography in the field. Forty-five pages of detailed index, well-cross referenced, make all the material contained in the text readily available.

The three parts of the volume have been carefully planned for logical cross-reference.

The Manual appears to have been prepared with an eye to balance—no individual publication is over-emphasized nor, so far as the reviewer has been able to determine, has any important publication been omitted.

In Part I, as indicated by its title, are considered all types of American legal publications; repositories of the law, digests, encyclopedias, annotated reports, the National Reporter System, citators, and books in specialized fields of law, both Federal and state. A most useful and unusual feature is the particular care and attention given to federal government publications. In addition to expository matter dealing with statutory law, court reports, regulatory materials and others, nearly fifty entries appear under Note 109 listing the official publications of important federal administrative tribunals.

Loose-leaf services, legal periodicals and indexes have been briefly discussed and adequately annotated and a chapter on English law introduces one to the major works, on which bibliographic information appears in the Notes.

In Part II is graphically explained the correct use of the working tools of the legal profession. The author has not reprinted or reproduced sample pages from publishers' manuals to illustrate her text, but attention has been called to these useful brochures and specific information given as to how they may be obtained.

In Part III the problems presented are designed to give the lawyer, student or research worker practical experience in using the wide coverage of standard research tools discussed in the text. The problems are arranged as a pocket supplement which the author plans to replace with new research problems each year, bringing Parts I and II up to date to correspond.

This reviewer feels that *Legal Bibliography and Legal Research* reflects sound principles of exposition and illustration, interpreted in the light of the author's wealth of experience in teaching and research. It is a distinct contribution to the literature of the profession.

HUBERTA A. PRINCE

LEGAL RESEARCH. By Sidney B. Hill and Carroll C. Moreland. New York. Practising Law Institute. 1946. Pp. 114. \$2.00.

This pamphlet, one of the series on General Practice published by the Practising Law Institute, is a truly

excellent summary of American law books, although its title may mislead those to whom legal research includes analysis, search methods and other matters of technique as distinguished from descriptions of the law books used in legal research.<sup>1</sup>

The 42 pages of text present a succinct survey of federal and state law books, including statutes, decisions, digests, encyclopedias, citators and texts. Appendix A (pp. 43-84) is a list of American legal abbreviations. Appendix B (pp. 85-114) is a selected bibliography of legal texts, grouped under broad subject headings.

Inasmuch as lists of legal abbreviations are available in many other books,<sup>2</sup> the price listed may seem excessive for the 42 pages of text and the bibliography. As a refresher for lawyer veterans, the pamphlet is unsurpassed, despite the presence of a few trivial errors<sup>3</sup> and omissions.<sup>4</sup>

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After a few years of comparative inactivity, Canadian Law and Book Publishers in 1946 rushed into print with a number of consolidations of previous works. The short descrip-

<sup>1</sup>Cf. HICKS, *MATERIALS AND METHODS OF LEGAL RESEARCH* (3d ed. 1942); NOTZ, *LEGAL RESEARCH* (2d ed. 1947).

<sup>2</sup>E.g., almost any law dictionary or textbook on use of law books, or any volume of *Corpus Juris* or *Corpus Juris Secundum*.

<sup>3</sup>The authors fail to distinguish (p. 4) between the binding force of U. S. Code and the Revised Statutes; erroneously give 1908-1911 as the period covered by American State Reports (p. 15); slightly misstate the period covered by American Decisions (p. 15; but see p. 24); and refer to the Index to Legal Periodicals as having a table of cases cited (p. 35).

<sup>4</sup>No mention is made of local encyclopedias, such as California Jurisprudence, Texas Jurisprudence, and Ohio Jurisprudence, nor of Michie's Encyclopedia of United States Supreme Court Reports or the Legal Periodical Digest. Although mentioning (pp. 19, 21) that the key number system was used in the (First) Decennial Digest, the pamphlet does not explain that the key symbol was not used in that digest.



tions of these which follow may be of some use to readers of the *Journal*.

ALL CANADA DIGEST—First Decennial Supplement. Toronto, Canada Law Book Co. 1946. 2 volumes, 3415 col., plus cccxxv pp. \$37.50.

*The All Canada Law Digest*, published in four volumes in 1935, is a digest of the cases decided in the higher Canadian Courts during the period 1910 to 1934. Its table of cases is very useful. The new Supplement consolidates annual digests for the years 1935 to 1944. In addition to brief digests of all Canadian cases reported, it has a table of cases, lists of words and phrases judicially defined and of cases judicially noted and a Statute Citator covering the legislation of the Dominion and the Provinces.

CANADIAN ABRIDGMENT CONSOLIDATION. Toronto, Burroughs & Co. [Eastern] Ltd. 1946. 4 volumes. Vol. 1 (1600 col.) issued. Set \$60.00.

*The Canadian Abridgment*, a digest of reported decisions of all Canadian Courts "from the earliest times to date", excluding Quebec Civil Code decisions, was published, in 35 volumes, between 1935 and 1946. The first volume of a *consolidation* of the 1935 to 1945 Annuals has now been published and three more volumes are to follow by May or June, 1947. All Quebec cases for this period are to be digested. There are to be tables of cases noticed, statutes considered and words "judicially commented upon".

THE CANADIAN ABRIDGMENT—Index

of Cases judicially noticed in Canadian Reports. Edited by Leonard G. Wrinch. Toronto, Burroughs & Co. [Eastern] Ltd. 1946. 3 volumes (2 vols. issued. 1357 pp.). Set \$45.00.

*The Canadian Abridgment*. There is no Canadian [Shepard] but in 1912 Cameron's *Index of Canadian Cases Judicially Noticed*, an alphabetical list of cases referred to, was published and this was followed by three volumes edited by Mr. Wrinch, which covered the period 1910 to 1941, and included English as well as Canadian cases, referred to in Canadian decisions. The new *Wrinch* consolidates all four volumes. Yearly cumulative pocket supplements are to be issued, so that it will be possible to find the status in Canadian reports of any Canadian or English case by consulting one volume and one supplement. Two volumes, A to G and H to Q have been issued and the third volume of the set should be available by May, 1947.

CANADIAN ENCYCLOPEDIA DIGEST—Supplement 1938-1945. Toronto, Burroughs & Co. [Eastern] Ltd. 1946. 463 pp. \$13.50.

*The Canadian Encyclopedic Digest* (Ontario Edition) was published, 1926-1933 in 11 volumes with an index volume. It is a digest "on the encyclopedic plan", of the case law of Ontario. A supplement published in 1938 brought all articles up to date as of April, 1938, and since that time annuals have appeared. These have now been consolidated, so that the Ontario lawyer who likes to look up his law in the narrative as opposed to the digest form can search in C. E. D.

and find later cases to the end of 1945 in two supplement volumes.

DOMINION REPORTS SERVICE. Toronto, C.C.H. Canadian Limited, 1946. 4 volumes and 1 current volume. Consolidation \$140.00. Current yearly service \$25.00.

Since 1936 the *Dominion Report Service* has appeared in monthly parts with Annual Indexes and tables of cases. In 1946 this publication was changed to a current loose-leaf service and a loose-leaf consolidation "of the living law from the earliest times to date". The material in the current volume is to be transferred each year to the consolidation so that it will then be possible to find in one volume and

the current volume short digests of all Canadian cases which the Editors of this service consider to be "living law", as well as many English cases referred to in Canadian decisions. There is a table of cases at the end of the current volume and there will be one at the end of the consolidation. There is no general index but the whole legal field is divided into 14 sections, starting with "Commercial Law" and ending with "Wills, Trusts, Estates" and each section has a detailed topical index. The current volume and two volumes of the consolidation have been issued and the other two should be out by June, 1947.

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## CURRENT LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

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- Adams, John. *The Selected Writings of John and John Quincy Adams*. Ed. by Adrienne Koch and William Peden. Knopf, N. Y., 1946. 481p. \$4.50.
- Alexander, C. W. and Keeshan, Anne. *Justice at Nuernberg*. Pence James & Associates, Chicago, 1946. \$5.00.
- Allen, C. K. *Law in the Making*. 4th ed., Oxford Univ. Press, N. Y., 1946. 596p. 21s (Carswell, \$6.25)
- Allen, J. S. *World Monopoly and Peace*. International Pub., N. Y., 1946. 273p. \$3.00.
- Allison, J. P. *Investors' Tax Planning*. Fallon Law Book Co., N. Y.; Bender, Albany, 1946. 422p. \$5.00.
- Altman, G. T. *1946-1947 CCH Federal Tax Course*. CCH, Chicago, 1947. \$12.50.
- American Jewish Committee. *Toward Peace and Equity*. American Jewish Committee, N. Y., 1946. 152p. Free.
- American Law Institute. *Connecticut Annotations to the Restatement of the Law of Trusts*. American Law Institute Pub., St. Paul, 1947. 2 v. in one, \$2.75.
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- Anger, W. H. and Anger, H. D. *Digest of Canadian Mercantile Law*. 15th ed., by F. R. Hume. Carswell, Toronto, 1946. 541p. \$5.00.
- Angle, P. M., ed. *The Lincoln Reader*. Rutgers Univ. Press, New Brunswick, N. J., 1947. 564p. \$3.75.
- Arnall, E. G. *The Shore Dimly Seen*. Lippincott, Philadelphia, 1946. 312p. \$3.00.
- Atkins, W. E. and Others. *The Regulation of the Security Markets*. Brookings Institution, Washington, 1946. 126p. \$2.00.
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- Bakke, E. W. *Mutual Survival, the Goal of Unions and Management*. Labor and Management Center, Yale Univ., New Haven, 1946. 82p. \$1.00.
- Ball, F. N. *Reinstatement in Civil Employment*. Thames Bank Pub. Co., Essex, Eng., 1946. 114p. 5s.
- Ball, F. N. *Statute Law Relating to Employment*. 2d ed. Thames Bank Pub. Co., Essex, Eng., 1946. 278p. 25s. (Carswell, \$7.50)
- Ballantine, H. W. *Ballantine on Private Corporations*. Revised ed. Callaghan, Chicago, 1946. 1000p. \$8.00.
- Ballinger, W. J. *By Vote of the People*. Scribner, N. Y., 1946. 381p. \$3.00.
- Bandenbush, D. W. *Democratic Capitalism*. John Day, N. Y., 1946. 338p. \$3.50.
- Baynes, Sir William. *Notes on Points of Law Affecting Voluntary Hospitals*. 2d ed. British Hospitals' Assn., 1946. 128p. 10s 6d.
- Beattie, D. J. and Taylor, P. S. *The New Law of Education*. 2d ed. Butterworth, London, 1946. 21s. (Carswell, \$6.25)

- Belloc, Hilaire. *The Servile State*. Holt, N. Y., 1946. 189p. \$2.50.
- Bender's *Lawyers' Diary and Directory for the State of New York, 1947* and *Bender's Rules of the Courts for the State of New York, 1947*. Bender, Albany, 1947. \$8.00. (Bender's *Lawyers' Directory*, without the Court rules volume, \$3.50.)
- Bernstein, V. H. *Final Judgment: The Story of Nuremberg*. Introduction by Max Lerner. Boni and Gaer, N. Y., 1947. 301p. \$3.50.
- Bettman, Alfred. *City and Regional Planning Papers*. Ed. by Arthur C. Corney. Harvard Univ. Press, Cambridge, 1946. 294p. \$4.50.
- Binkley, W. E. *President and Congress*. Knopf, N. Y., 1947. 312p. \$4.00.
- Blodgett, R. H. *Principles of Economics*. Rinehart, N. Y., 1946. 668p. \$4.00.
- Boyd, Andrew. *The United Nations Organization Handbook*. Pilot Press, N. Y., 1947. 207p. \$2.50.
- Brooks, Graham. *All You Need for the Bar Final*. 4th ed. Sweet & Maxwell, London, 1946. 192p. (Carswell, \$2.50)
- Brown, F. J. *Educational Opportunities for Veterans*. American Council on Public Affairs, Washington, 1946. 142p. \$2.00.
- Brown, W. J. *Everybody's Guide to Parliament*. Rev. ed. Allen & Unwin, London, 1946. 199p. \$2.15.
- Brownell, E. A. *A Study of Legal Aid in Philadelphia; a report of a Survey of the Legal Aid Society and the Voluntary Defenders Association*. National Association of Legal Aid Organizations, N. Y., 1946. 83p. \$1.00.
- Bullitt, W. C. *The Great Globe Itself; a Preface to World Affairs*. C. Scribners' Sons, N. Y., 1946. 310p. \$2.75.
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- Cabot, P. S. de Q., comp. *Juvenile Delinquency; a Critical Annotated Bibliography*. H. W. Wilson, N. Y., 1946. 166p. \$3.75.
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- Carmody, F. X. *Manual of New York Civil Practice*. 5th ed. by E. Q. Carr [and others]. Boardman, N. Y., 1946. 1250p. \$15.00.
- Cassirer, Ernst. *The Myth of the State*. Ed. by C. W. Hendel. Yale Univ. Press, New Haven, 1946. 315p. \$3.75.
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- Cohen, J. H. *They Built Better Than They Knew*. Messner, N. Y., 1946. 376p. \$3.75. (Lawyers. Correspondence, reminiscences, etc.)
- Cohen, S. D. *One Hundred True Crime Stories*. World Pub. Co., Cleveland and N. Y., 1946. 433p. \$1.49.
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- Commerce Clearing House. *Canadian Income War Tax Act*. Commerce Clearing House, Chicago, 1946. 224p. \$2.00.

- Commerce Clearing House. *Canadian Master Tax Guide*. Commerce Clearing House, Chicago, 1946. 183p. \$3.00.
- Commerce Clearing House. *The Federal Antitrust Laws, with Summary of Cases Instituted by the United States*. CCH, Chicago, 1947. 383p. \$2.00. (CCH current law handybook edition.)
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## CURRENT COMMENTS

**Helen Newman Signs Oath of Office As Librarian of the Supreme Court of the United States**

MISS HELEN NEWMAN, by Order of the Court announced on March 31, was named Librarian of the Supreme Court of the United States in the place of Oscar D. Clarke, deceased. Miss Newman, who was Law Librarian of The George Washington University from 1927 to 1942, was appointed Associate Librarian for the Court by the late Mr. Chief Justice Harlan F. Stone. She is the first woman to hold the post of Librarian of the Court, and the fourth person to hold the position since it was established in 1887. An article entitled "Who's Who in Law Libraries", published in the February, 1946, number of the *Law Library Journal* gives an account of Miss Newman's work as Executive

Secretary-Treasurer of the Association from 1934 until her resignation in 1945.

**Charles Hallam Appointed Associate Librarian**

H. CHARLES HALLAM, JR., Assistant Librarian of the Supreme Court of the United States since 1941, was appointed Associate Librarian on April 1, 1947, to succeed Helen Newman. Mr. Hallam, who is Vice-President of the Law Librarians' Society of Washington, D. C., assisted in the preparation of the "Union List of Legislative Histories", which was published in the November, 1946, and June, 1947, numbers of the *Law Library Journal*.

**Howard Lapham Goes to Yale**

HOWARD LAPHAM resigned as Assistant Librarian of the Elbert H. Gary Library of Northwestern University in February to accept a position on the staff of the Yale Law School Library. Mr. Thorne, Librarian at Yale, and Mr. Lapham were associated at the Elbert H. Gary Library for several years prior to their joining the armed forces during the War.

**Chicago Group Petitions for Chapter of A.A.L.L.**

WILLIAM R. ROALFE, temporary chairman of a group of fourteen law librarians in Chicago has filed with Mrs. Helmle, Executive Secretary and Treasurer, an application for permission to establish a chapter of the American Association of Law Libraries in the Chicago area. This is the first application for a chapter filed since the War. The application, now before the Executive Committee, will be presented to the Annual Meeting in Santa Fe. The Carolina Law Library Association, organized in 1937, became a Chapter at the Annual Meeting in Toronto in June, 1940, and the Law Librarians' Society of Washington, D. C., was accepted as the second chapter of A.A.L.L. at the Annual Meeting in Milwaukee in June, 1942.

ANNE FREEMAN, Librarian of the Nathan and Henry B. Cleaves Law Library, Cumberland County Court House, Portland, Maine, who entered the service of the Country during the recent war as a member of the Coast Guard Auxiliary, was married last July (1946) and now as Mrs. Harold W. Rich has returned to the Cleaves

Law Library in her former capacity as Law Librarian.

**Mr. Justice Frankfurter Gives Sixth Cardozo Lecture**

MR. JUSTICE FRANKFURTER delivered the Sixth Annual Benjamin N. Cardozo Lecture before the Association of the Bar of the City of New York on March 18, 1947. The lecture entitled, "Some Reflections on the Reading of Statutes", will be published in the June number of *The Record* and in the *Columbia Law Review* for June.

**Rutgers University Will Publish Law Review**

The *Rutgers Law Review*, a successor to the *University of Newark Law Review*, will be published by the Rutgers University School of Law, Newark, New Jersey. Volume one will contain two numbers and the subscription price is \$2.00.

**Adair-Gilbert Edition of *The Federalist* in Preparation**

DOUGLASS ADAIR, Managing Editor of the *William and Mary Quarterly*, Williamsburg, Virginia, has issued a mimeographed prospectus on "The Proposed Adair-Gilbert Edition of *The Federalist*" now in preparation. This edition by Professor Adair and Felix Gilbert "will be distinguished from all previous editions by containing for the first time: the authoritative text with variorum readings, indexed for efficient use; the critical apparatus necessary for understanding the work in terms of its authors' ideas and theories, and an introduction and commentary designed to place the book in its historical context as one of the great works in the main stream of Western political thought."

**Two New Legal Bibliography Books Published**

*Legal Bibliography and Legal Research* by Mrs. Rebecca Notz of the staff of the Library of Congress was published by the National Law Book Company, Washington, D. C., early in April. At the same time the Michie Casebook Company, Charlottesville, Virginia, issued a *Manual of Legal Bibliography* by M. Ray Doubles, Dean of the University of Richmond Law School and Miss Frances Farmer, Law Librarian of the University of Virginia. Both of these new books prepared by prominent members of the American Association of Law Libraries will be reviewed in an early issue of the *Law Library Journal*.

**Book Published on Case Histories of Fire Fighters Seeking Compensation**

*Fire Fighters' Occupational Diseases* by Dr. Max H. Skolnick published in 1945 by the International Association of Fire Fighters will be of interest to law libraries which acquire books in the medico-legal field. The Foreword states, "From the experiences cited here the fire fighter can profit by the misfortunes of others and being thus forewarned refuse to have his just complaints of disability resulting from accident set aside as negligible or trivial." Copies of the book may be obtained from the author, Dr. Skolnick, Suite 502, The Farragut Build-

ing, Washington 6, D. C. The price is \$2.00 per copy less 20% discount to libraries.

**Walter Wyatt Announces Availability of Supreme Court Slip Opinions**

WALTER WYATT, Reporter of the Supreme Court of the United States, announced at the beginning of the 1946 Term that slip opinions may now be subscribed to through the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C. These individual "slip copies" of all the Court's opinions as announced from the Bench are distributed two or three days after the opinions are read. The subscription price is \$4.00 per term regardless of number or size. The Preliminary Prints (advance parts, paper-covered) of the official United States Reports contain all the opinions with syllabi, names of counsel, indices, tables of cases, and other editorial additions. They also contain *per curiam* decisions, orders, amendments to the Rules, etc. The subscription price to these is \$2.75 per Term, regardless of their number or size.

Attention is directed to an article in the March 1947 number of *Special Libraries* by Francis W. Allen: "Some Notes on the Acquisition of Old Books." This informative article will clarify problems concerning out-of-print books.

## EXCHANGES

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